

Celebration of Lights begins November 21

The Grayling Promotional Association is sponsoring the "Celebration of Lights" again this year. Its goal is to have every building and business decorated with little white lights. The "Celebration of Lights" has made Grayling look picturesque and beautiful in past years.

The GPA plans to have all who participate turn on their lights starting Saturday, November 21, and leave them on during the entire holiday season.

Put up your lights now so you can join in the fun and spirit of the 1992 "Celebration of Lights."



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Crawford County

Avalanche

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Lovely elected sheriff; Mattis defeats Callewaert

A record number of Crawford County voters—6,023 out of 8765 registered or 69 percent—decided local races and participated in the presidential and state choices Tuesday.

In Crawford County, David Lovely (R) was elected sheriff for four years, defeating Jerry Hodder (D) 4,159-1,583.

Four of the seven current county commissioners were returned to office. Joe Callewaert (R) was the only incumbent defeated. He lost to Larry

Mattis (D) 535-421 in the race for the district 6 seat.

In district 1, incumbent Dennis Long (R) received 563 votes running unopposed.

In district 2, incumbent Loren Goodale (R) received 703 votes running unopposed.

In district 3, Bill Coy (R) defeated write-in candidate Barbara Selesky 628-81.

In district 4, incumbent Bob McLachlan (R) defeated write-in

candidate Lynnette Corlew 598-133.

In district 5, incumbent Robert Smock (D) defeated William Ruddy (R) 464-14.

The other two incumbent county commissioners, Brian Hulbert and Lee Riley, ran for township supervisor positions.

Robert Nelson (D) defeated Matt Gabriel (R) 2970-2262 in a race for county road commissioner.

Elizabeth Wieland (D), county clerk/register of deeds, Joseph Wakeley (R), county treasurer, and John Huss, (R) county prosecutor, were re-elected without opposition. Wieland received 3,782 votes, Wakeley 4,043, and Huss 3,489. Circuit Court Judge Alton Davis

was also running unopposed and received 3,801 votes in Crawford County.

In contested township races, Brian Hulbert (R) defeated incumbent Harold Mertes (D) 306-292 in the race for Frederic Township supervisor. In the Frederic Township clerk race, Nancy Bindschattel (D) defeated Dennis Wallace (R) 378-217. Mildred Harmer (D), 349 votes, and Betty Sajdak (D), 279 votes, were elected Frederic Township trustees, defeating Al Leng (R), 267 votes, and Clara Varco (R), 162 votes. Both Frederic Township ballot proposals concerning millage for the fire department passed. Proposal 1 was approved 311-252 and

proposal 2 won 316-247.

In Grayling Township, Ruth O'Mara (R) was re-elected as treasurer, defeating Doty Latuszek (D) 1,532-891.

In Beaver Creek Township, Irene Schultes (R) was elected supervisor defeating James Small (D), 179 votes, and Lee Riley (write-in), 170 votes. Ruth McDonough (D), 276 votes, and Kathleen Mobarak (R), 246 votes, were elected trustees, defeating Calvin Hawley (R), 235 votes, and Chris Ostwald (D), 220 votes.

In South Branch Township, Bernice McGillis (R), 365 votes, and Paul Musselman (R), 348, were elected trustees, defeating Muriel Michael, 331 votes.

In Maple Forest Township, Sandra Baynham (D), 117 votes, and Michael Armstrong (D), 108 votes, were elected trustees, defeating Mary Coy (R), 64 votes.

In the 105th state representative race, Allen Lowe captured Crawford County 3,441 to 2,245 for Tom Weiss. At 1:30 a.m. Wednesday morning, November 4, official totals for all the counties in the district were not available.

Crawford County joined the nation in electing Clinton (D) as president. The county usually votes for Republican presidential candidates, but the Democrat won the county this year.

A complete account of local votes will appear in next week's Avalanche.

Corlew request to Unsolved Mysteries remains unopened

A box containing thousands of signatures requesting NBC to televise the disappearance of Perry Corlew has remained unopened since it was delivered June 2.

The box contains information about Corlew's disappearance March 15, 1974, and thousands of signatures asked NBC to broadcast Corlew's story on *Unsolved Mysteries*.

Perry, the son of Dewey and Roberta Corlew of Grayling, was a senior at Grayling High School when he mysteriously disappeared.

The Corlew family is asking people to write or call *Unsolved Mysteries*, PO Box 10729, Burbank, California, 91510, Attn. Story Dept. (1-800-876-5353) and request the Corlew package to be opened and broadcast.

Most of Camp Grayling open to hunting

Camp Grayling's commander, Lieutenant Colonel Wayne Koppa, reminds hunters that nearly all of the Camp's training areas are open to the public during Michigan's firearm deer season, November 15-30.

Game laws and hunting are regulated by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources on camp property, as they are on other hunting areas of the state. Areas not open to hunting are the Hanson State Game Refuge, and any

fenced range impact areas restricted by DNR Closure Orders, which cover less than 10% of the 147,000 acres used for training.

Traditionally, no military training is scheduled during this 16-day period, both for the safety of soldiers, and for the benefit of those who want to enjoy the outdoors. More information on hunting/non-hunting areas is available from Captain John Leask or Sergeant Walter Walsh, of Camp Grayling

Range Operations, by calling 517/348-3700.

Since last hunting season, twenty-five acres bordering roadways and training areas have been planted in grass, red pine seedlings, and shrubs. Four miles of unneeded trail roads have been blocked, allowing another twelve acres to return to natural growth. Hunters and sportsmen are requested to drive only on established roads and trails.

LTC Koppa is joined by the Camp Grayling Conservation Club in encouraging all hunters to practice good sense and safety, by avoiding populated areas, being sure of their targets and leaving the woods in as good a condition as they were found.

Additional information on hunting-related opportunities and local accommodations may be obtained by calling the Grayling Area Visitors' Council, at 1-800-937-8837.



MUSICAL GOBLINS--The Grayling High School band showed that Halloween monsters can march and play music during the Friday afternoon parade.



HALLOWEEN PARADE--Elementary students and teachers in both Grayling and Frederic displayed their Halloween costumes during parades last Friday. These ghouls were spotted on Michigan Avenue in Grayling. (Linda Wright photos)

1993 gypsy moth spray requests needed Nov. 12

The required Annual Scoping Meeting conducted by the Crawford County Gypsy Moth Suppression Program will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday, November 12, at the Crawford County Building.

This is the meeting, required by the Michigan Department of Agriculture, that marks the beginning of the 1993 Gypsy Moth Spray Program for

Crawford County. Residents of Grayling, Lovells and Beaver Creek townships are encouraged to attend this meeting if they have any questions regarding the Gypsy Moth Suppression Program.

Egg mass surveying has already begun in those areas of the above mentioned townships that were sprayed during the 1992 program. The 1992 spray blocks are automatically considered for the 1993 program for residents of Grayling, Lovells and Beaver Creek townships who wish to have other areas considered, their requests must be submitted to the Crawford County Gypsy Moth Suppression Program no later than November 30.

The townships of South Branch and Frederic have indicated to the County Board of Commissioners that they are not interested in participating in the program, thus no survey work will be performed in those townships. Maple Forest Township is as of yet undecided about the program.

Requests for spray can be submitted at the November 12 meeting. Requests must be in writing. The coordinator of the Crawford County Gypsy Moth Suppression Program may be contacted at 348-5187.

Grayling battles Saginaw Swan Valley in state playoffs

By Nancy Lemmen

It will be the Vikings against the Vikings on Saturday afternoon: the Grayling Vikings versus Saginaw Swan Valley, a high school varsity football team with the same mascot.

That important game will testify to the fact that Head Coach Dave Larkin, the coaching staff and the players have reached their third goal for the 1992 season — to make it to the state playoffs.

In August, Larkin said the Vikings' number one goal was to beat rival Roscommon. Accomplished.

Their number two goal, he said, was to win the division championship. Check.

And throughout their outstanding season — during which they built an 8-1 record (the previous season high was 7-1, set in 1970) — they steadily worked at reaching their third goal of qualifying for a playoff game.

The GHS varsity football squad, ranked 3rd in Class B/Region I, will travel to Swan Valley on Saturday, November 7, for a 1:30 p.m. contest

against the team ranked 2nd.

"Swan Valley — at 9-0 for the season — is a very good team," said Larkin. They have a very good running attack and were in the playoffs last year. They will be a tough opponent."

"We'll have to play well to beat them. If we execute like we're capable of, we'll have a chance to win the game."

The two other teams in Region I are 1st place Kingsford and 4th place Ishpeming Westwood. The winners of both games will tentatively compete for the regional championship in the Superior Dome at Northern Michigan University in Marquette. Winner of that game will be one of four Class B regional champions in the state.

Larkin said he expects Kingsford to win, because the team has already defeated Westwood this season.

Directions to Swan Valley and other information about the playoff game are on page 10.



GO, VIKINGS!--Will Victor the Viking be at the state playoff game at Swan Valley High School on Saturday? Be there yourself and see! GHS athletic director Ben Laser said he and the team would like to have as many Viking fans there as possible.

Horton wins \$1000 on TV

Mark Horton, 34, a real estate agent from Grayling, won \$1,000 on the Michigan Lottery's weekly TV game show, "Megabucks Giveaway."

Horton plans to use his winnings toward the purchase of a new car. On the Saturday night television show, Horton tied for first place but lost out on the tie-breaking round.

To be selected for the show, players must send in three non-winning tickets, one from each of three different instant games.

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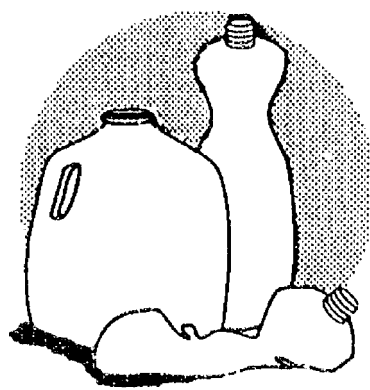
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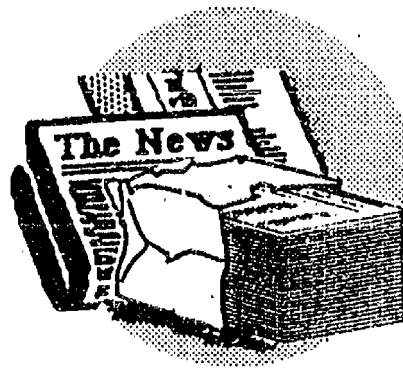
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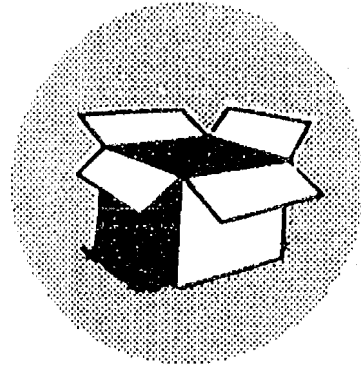
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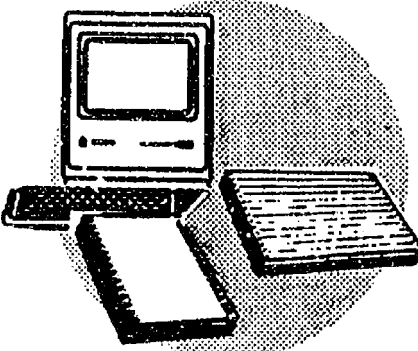
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All circulars delivered with the newspaper are acceptable. Put in brown grocery bags or tie with a string. Keep dry. No phone books, junk mail, or magazines.



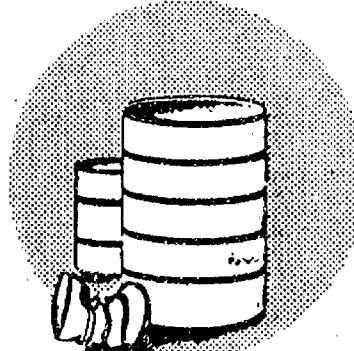
CORRUGATED CARDBOARD

Clean boxes only. Flatten. Tie pieces into bundles no larger than 18" wide or put into brown paper bags. Clean pizza boxes are OK. No cereal, tissue, shoe, or waxed cardboard boxes.



COMPUTER PAPER

White or green-bar paper. Box, tie, or put in brown grocery bags.



TIN CANS

All tin cans are acceptable. Remove paper labels. Rinse thoroughly, remove both ends and flatten.



GLASS

Clear glass containers only. Rinse to remove all leftover food. Remove rings and caps. Labels may be left on. No plate or colored glass, china, light bulbs, or Pyrex.

Drop-Off Centers -- Locations

CRAWFORD COUNTY

Glen's Market parking lot
I-75 Business Loop
Grayling

OTSEGO COUNTY

K-Mart/Carters parking lot
US 27 South
Gaylord

HOURS

Every Saturday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

CLIP AND POST ON REFRIGERATOR

Recycling programs expand in county

Drop-off recycling is increasing in Otsego and Crawford counties. The program, sponsored by the Crawford-Otsego Waste Authority in cooperation with City Environmental Services of Waters (CESW), will accept newspapers, corrugated cardboard,

computer paper, clear glass, tin cans and plastic with the number 1 or 2 on the bottom.

There are three sites open to the general public: Glen's Market in Grayling; Kmart/Carters in Gaylord; and the City Environmental Service

Landfill in Waters. The drop-off sites at Glen's and Carters/Kmart will be open every Saturday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The landfill, located on Sherman Road, is open from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

The townships' locations and hours of operation are:

Beaver Creek-Merrio Road
Wednesday, 4-7 p.m.
Saturday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Sunday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Lowells - 2 locations: North Down River Road; Old Country Road 612
Wednesday, Noon-4 p.m.
Saturday, Noon-4 p.m.
Sunday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

South Branch-Pioneer Road
Monday, 8 a.m.-Noon & 1-5 p.m.
Wednesday, 8 a.m.-Noon & 1-5 p.m.
Saturday, 8 a.m.-Noon & 1-5 p.m.
Sunday, 8 a.m.-Noon & 1-5 p.m.

Corwith Township-Yuill Road
Saturday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.
For more information, residents may contact CESW at (517) 732-3553.

Residents must prepare the materials before they bring them to the sites. Newspapers, computer paper and cardboard must be tied with a string or bagged in brown paper bags; cans must be rinsed and have the labels removed; glass must be rinsed clean; and the plastic must be rinsed and flattened.

In addition to these sites open to the general public, CESW and four townships have established recycling drop-off sites at their transfer stations. There is no charge for recycling at the sites, but they are open to residents of that township only. The same materials, prepared in the same



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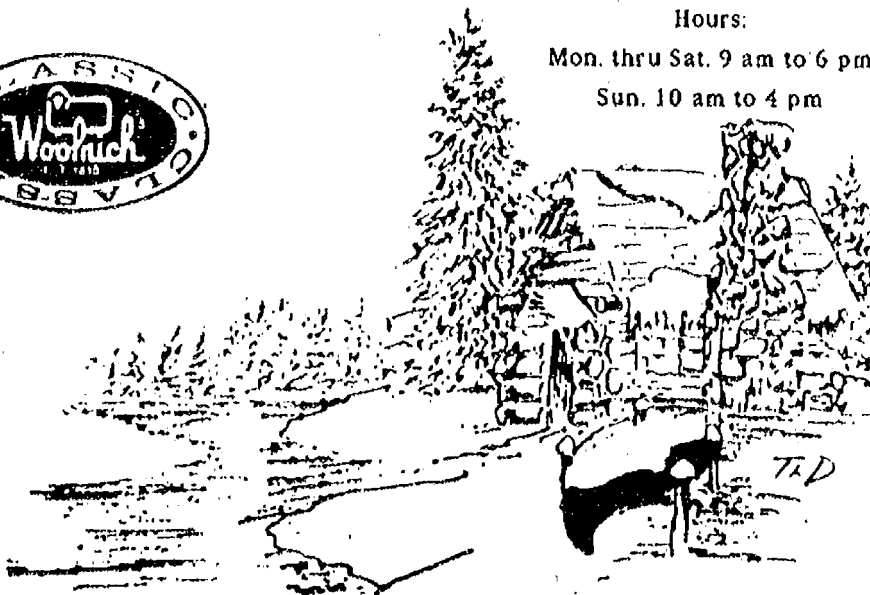
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Pedestrian injured in hit and run

By Lori Swarthout

Fifty-five year old Eugene Dean was taken to Grayling Mercy Hospital with severe cuts and bruises to his face and left side after being struck by a hit and run motorist near Vine and Chestnut streets in Grayling Friday, October 30.

Grayling City Police received a call reporting the accident around 10:50 p.m. Friday night and arrived on the scene to find Dean in the middle of Vine Street, his face, side and lower back bruised and cut from the force of

his fall. Police believe the unidentified vehicle struck Dean from the rear and may have fled the scene in panic after the accident. Dean did not have a good look at the vehicle. A resident of the neighborhood reported hearing a vehicle in the area about twenty minutes prior to the 911 call.

Police are still investigating the incident. Anyone who has information regarding the accident is requested to contact the Grayling City Police Department at 348-4621.

High school hosts Red Cross blood bank

The Red Cross blood drive is at the Grayling High School Wednesday, November 4. Community members are asked to donate after noon at the GHS gymnasium, although any time between 9 a.m. and 2:45 p.m. donors are welcome. The doors will be closed at 2:45 p.m.

Persons must be at least 17 years of age to donate blood, and bring

identification with you, especially if you are a first-time donor.

Do not forget about the "Four Seasons" program and get in another of the four donations that are necessary in order to obtain a pin bearing the "Four Seasons" logo.

Eat a healthy breakfast if you plan on donating, and please join Grayling High School and the Red Cross in an effort to save lives.

Magistrate

Appearing before Magistrate Jean Calawaert:

Jason Pfeffer of Dearborn, was fined \$115 for Hunt With The License Of Another.

Andrew Wolniewicz of Toledo, Ohio, was fined \$90 for Non Resident — Fish With Resident License.

Daniel J. Graham III of Temperance, was fined \$115 for Make Use Of Artificial Light After 11 p.m.

John R. Ecker of Fenton, was fined \$230 for I-No Hunting License In Possession; II-Loaded Firearm In Motor Vehicle.

William C. Jahoda of Canton, was fined \$45 for Fish Trout Stream — Closed Season.

Lewis honored for 25 years

Lawrence R. Lewis is being recognized by GTE Telephone Operations for completing 25 years of employment with the company.

Lewis is an engineer — OSP in the company's regional network provisioning department in Grayling. He started his telephone career as a field engineer in Three Rivers and later worked in Roscommon.

Lewis and his wife, Bernice, live in Roscommon.

Arlene Rose, 49, of Prudenville, plead guilty to a charge of NSF Check Over \$50 Under \$200, and was sentenced to serve 30 days in the county jail, placed on two years probation, and ordered to pay \$136.71 restitution. She was cited June 15, 1991, by the City Police Dept.

Scott Edward Haas, 18, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Trespass, and was fined \$85 or ten days. He was cited October 17, 1992, by the Sheriff Dept.

Andrew John Burkley, 19, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Trespass, and was fined \$85 or ten days. He was cited October 17, 1992, by the Sheriff Dept.

Eric Michael Bonamie, 18, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Trespass, and was fined \$85 or ten days. He was cited October 17, 1992, by the Sheriff Dept.

Richard Allen Flicker, 24, of Roscommon, plead guilty to a charge of OUIL, and was fined \$625 or 60 days, placed on six months probation, plus his license was suspended nine months. He was cited May 12, 1990, by the Sheriff Dept.

Kevin Donald Pelletier, 33, of Linwood, plead guilty to a charge of Impaired Driving 2nd, and was fined \$675 or 60 days, and placed on one year probation. He was cited August

2, 1992, by the Sheriff Dept.

Joel Mack, Jr., 19, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Impaired Driving, and was fined \$525 or 60 days, plus his license was suspended 90 days. He was cited August 19, 1992, by the Sheriff Dept.

Karen Marie Hatley, 27, of Grayling, plead guilty to a charge of Impaired Driving, and was fined \$525 or 60 days, plus her license was suspended 90 days. She was cited August 27, 1992, by the Sheriff Dept.

Timothy Scott Galloway, 26, of Roscommon, plead not guilty to a charge of Reckless Driving. Trial by court held, defendant found guilty as charged, and was fined \$205 or 30 days. He was cited August 4, 1990.

Cory Joe Moshier, 18, of Grayling, demanded a preliminary exam to a charge of Malicious Destruction Over \$100. A \$2,500 personal bond was set.

Michael Andrew Beck II, 22, of Gaylord, demanded a preliminary exam to a charge of Malicious Destruction Over \$100. A \$2,500 cash or surety bond was set.

Jon Michael West, 31, of Grayling demanded a preliminary exam to a charge of Possessing Stolen Property Over \$100. A \$200 cash or surety bond was set.

'Blues' music featured at KCC November 7

If you like "the blues," then Kirtland Community College is the place to be on Saturday evening, November 7.

Peter "Madcat" Ruth and Shari Kane will be performing at 8 p.m. in the Gilbert I. Stewart Auditorium. Ruth has established an international reputation through his virtuosity on the harmonica. *Performance Magazine* refers to him as "A harmonica virtuoso who is rapidly approaching legend status." Shari Kane is a Michigan based fingerstyle blues guitarist from Ann Arbor. The two team up to create a dynamic interplay between guitar and harmonica.

Also performing this same evening is Robert Penn and the Robert Penn Blues Band. Penn was once B. B.

King's sideman, and has been voted Detroit's best blues vocalist by the *Metro Times*.

Tickets are still available for this performance. For further information call Brent Baxter Barrett, Director of Cultural Events at Kirtland at 517-275-5121, extension 242.

Hospice offers help to cope with holidays

Hospice with Loving Care, serving Crawford and Roscommon counties, will be hosting its First Annual "Making it Through the Holidays." This program is designed to aid anyone in the surrounding counties who have suffered a loss through death. It is not limited to Hospice families, but anyone that would be interested is welcome to attend.

The program is designed to offer ideas, suggestions, and information on making it through the holidays without their loved one. This program is free of charge and open to the general public.

Two sessions will be offered, November 17 at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Both sessions will be held at St. Elizabeth's Episcopal Church on County Road 100, at Higgins Lake across from Gerrish Township Hall.

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Letters To The Editor

Reader asks if no voter really cares

This is in response to Carol Bancroft, whose letter to the editor appeared 10/21/92. I first recommend that you make a personal visit to the high school or middle school before making any absurd statements regarding hall to hall garbage or food fights in the cafeteria. I have visited the high school cafeteria on several occasions during the lunch hour and failed to see any such thing. Where is your factual data? What are the dates?

Second, all graduates of Crawford AuSable High School can read, write, and spell. Perhaps, you are referring to some who drop out of high school and never complete their education. Again, when was the last time you bothered to visit the high school to check your data, before making another absurd, unfounded statement?

Also, if you want the youth of this or any other community to treat you with respect, then you first must show them proper respect. I too get pretty sick of listening and now reading your garbage without concrete evidence. When was the last time you tried to work with any of the youth in our community? Have you seen any of the youth work in the SIBS program or have you seen the youth working in the Pre-School program? I have! I am impressed with our youth! Respect breeds respect which improves the community overall, financially and psychologically.

Third, how in the world can you

vote "no" for education and then state that you support education in the same sentence. There is something drastically wrong with your reasoning. The right to vote also carries responsibility for citizenship. Maybe you should take a closer look at your educational responsibilities. If you vote "no" for all school millages, how in the world can you show any responsibility toward education?

The school board consists of representatives from the community, people who were elected to office by the community (that is if you bothered to vote that election). The school board will always be making recommendations to improve education in our community. That is their purpose — believe it or not. If the school board had not been concerned about improving the old middle school, which was a dangerous, poor learning environment, this community would never have the facility it presently enjoys. Our school board will always be "cramming these elections down our throats," as you so eloquently put it, but the elections will be there when educational needs warrant them. Do you REALLY care?

Finally, you mention you cannot afford any tax increases. Open your eyes to the reality that the educational system is not only the heart of this community, but the backbone of our country. Jobs will not exist for uneducated, technologically illiterate

people. Eighty percent of all our future jobs have not been created as of yet. We must prepare our youth for the future! Without good schools, the community loses industry, professional workers, trades people for building, auto maintenance, and a host of other services you presently enjoy. And when a community suffers

because of lack of growth, your taxes might well increase, and your quality of life will decrease. The larger the tax base, the less each of us will have to pay in the future. Until you are involved in the solution, you are still part of the problem.

Richard A. Febey
Grayling

Freshmen students are a credit to their class

During homecoming week at G.H.S. we had the privilege of having from 8 to 20 freshman students using our new garage to build their float. Gallons of koolaid and popcorn were the snack of choice.

These students were polite and respectful of our home, business, and property. Since over the past weeks I have seen negative press regarding

our teens, I am sure that freshman Grayling parents would be glad to hear that we enjoyed having these young people who are a credit to their class.

Thanks for a very pleasant experience with our teens.

Anne Richardson
Grayling

Reader upset that trees are cut down

I'd like to know what gives the city the right to cut down our trees? No one even notified us! And then they have the nerve to take down signs and

Halloween decorations and not even put them back.

There was nothing wrong with that tree — it still had leaves on it!

So the city owns that side of the sidewalk — then how come we have to keep it up... mowed and cleaned? How come snowmobilers can ride on "our" lot in the winter and mow down my kids trees we planted on earth day?

We pay taxes on this lot and keep our lot picked up. Next time we want to be notified! Also, snowmobilers beware — we will have stakes up protecting our "baby" trees. Hopefully the city won't kill them!

Cathy Herrmann
601 Peninsular
Grayling

Helpful people show Grayling's kindness

On Saturday, October 17, I was traveling south on I-75, moving from Marquette to Bay City.

I was driving a friend's car, a blue Regal Buick, following a U-Haul truck pulling my car on a auto transport.

It was close to 6 p.m. and we were approximately five miles from Grayling. I decided to pull over and wipe my side window. I got out of the car, wiped the window and when I tried to get back in the car it was locked. I couldn't believe it at first, but it was true.

I flagged down a red car with a young couple in it, told them what happened and they agreed to catch up with George driving the U-Haul and explain my problem. It was his car I was driving — perhaps he had an extra key with him.

A young man from Grayling, wearing a blue vest and camouflaged hat stopped. He asked what he could do for me. I explained my problem and he agreed to contact the sheriff office. When he left I sat on the hood

and had a good cry.

I was starting to get cold. My jacket was in the car. It was about 30°, so I started jumping to keep myself warm.

A blazer with a man, two women, and a Yorkshire dog stopped and offered assistance. I explained what happened and they invited me in their warm vehicle and agreed to wait with me until help arrived.

These people were also from Grayling. They knew a Bergland family in Marquette and Ceil Cinciala from Grayling, whose husband Joe was my dad's first cousin.

A few minutes later a dark blue van pulled up. A young man and his wife from Grayling, were concerned about me. They drove by and the wife saw me jumping in front of the car and she knew something was wrong. They turned around and came back. I explained my problem and they agreed to go to the sheriff's office to make sure they were notified.

A wrecker pulled up and two young men, one in a National Guard uniform,

go the car unlocked. At the same time George was coming down the road. He had received the message from the young couple in the red car.

I know this is an awful long story. But I did not get any names of the people that helped me. All I know is that all of these people, with the exception of the young couple in the red car, were from Grayling.

Please publish this "Thank You" in your local newspaper. I want them to know how much I appreciated the kindness extended to me. Grayling must be a beautiful community to have so many caring, kind, and beautiful people in it.

Thank you all very much from the bottom of my heart.

Elaine Christensen
Bay City

Letters To The Editor

Your views are welcome on the Opinion Page. Letters may be typed or handwritten but please double space or use every other line.

Every letter must be signed and an address or phone number should be included. Letters will not be published without the author's name.

Letters are limited to 500 words.

The opinions expressed in the letters and columns on this page are solely those of the writer and do not reflect the views of the Crawford County Avalanche.

Avalanche Deadlines

Community news items submitted to the Avalanche must be turned in to the office by Monday noon, to appear in our Wednesday issue. Letters to the Editor and photographs must be turned in by Friday noon to be considered for the next issue.

News items and letters should be submitted on 8 1/2-by-11-inch paper, typed, and double-spaced. Handwritten items must also have ample space between each line; on lined paper please use every other line.

Classified ads by the word must be turned in by Tuesday noon and have to be paid in advance or they will not be published. Classified display ads must be turned in by Monday noon.

Full page, half page, or color display ads must be turned in by Thursday, 5 p.m.

The deadline for all display ads smaller than a half page is Friday, 5 p.m.

Opinions

Reader supports letter written by Mrs. Bancroft

I see someone has finally become disgusted enough, been fed up long enough to put all the cards on the table and tell it mainly like it is. She is also willing to stand up and be counted. I applaud your stand Mrs. Bancroft. I

hope your shoulders are broad enough to handle all the stuff in your words, "Bull Crap" that they are about to encounter.

Bob Winger
Grayling

Lovells resident commends bridge walk participants

Now that our Lovells bridge walk is history, we can reflect on its achievements. It was with pride that the large group walked over our "Little Mac" bridge, which spans the North Branch of the AuSable River. This is just a short distance from downtown Lovells.

For all the participants, it was a time to be proud and a fun time also. The Lovells First Responders are a credit to our community. They are there to

help when an accident, sudden illness, or tragedy strikes. It is commendable when a group gets together and works for the good of their community, giving their time and efforts so that we have a happier, better place to live. When we reach out to help others, we find it enriches our life also. It is time to express our appreciation and to say thanks to all of you.

Hazel Koernke
Lovells

Minuteman Foundation meeting their goals

To Camp Grayling Area Minuteman Foundation

Mr. John H. Alef, Sr., President

I was pleased to read that the Museum Minuteman was being allowed to retire to be replaced by a new version of the same time period.

More importantly, it is absolutely outstanding when the Camp Grayling Foundation Board would select a local couple to do the sculpture. Grayling is blessed with many fine individuals

with diverse backgrounds and wherever possible, we should use those talents for the good of the community.

Not only are you fostering Camp Grayling and the military overall, you are meeting the original goals of the Foundation with the replica and the use of local talent, to create it.

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Let's Talk About It

By Joe Murphy

This has been a pretty miserable week for the old man for in addition to the snow we had the first part of the week, my back was out. Woke up last Sunday with back pain and by Monday I was having back spasms. If there is anything you can get more tired of in a hurry, I haven't found it and I am sure not looking. When your back is all twisted up with pain the last think you need is spasms to add to your misery. I was stuck here at home for four days before I dared to straighten out enough to go anywhere. I have had back trouble since I was a kid and can expect to have it wrack me up a couple of times a year.

Wasn't Friday the 23rd a beautiful day it was like those fall days I remember as a child? On days like that my brother Orville and I would be cutting corn or digging potatoes and when we stopped for a little break I would run and get a watermelon from the pile we had covered in the garden. Cold, sweet watermelon was a real treat that made those days such golden memories.

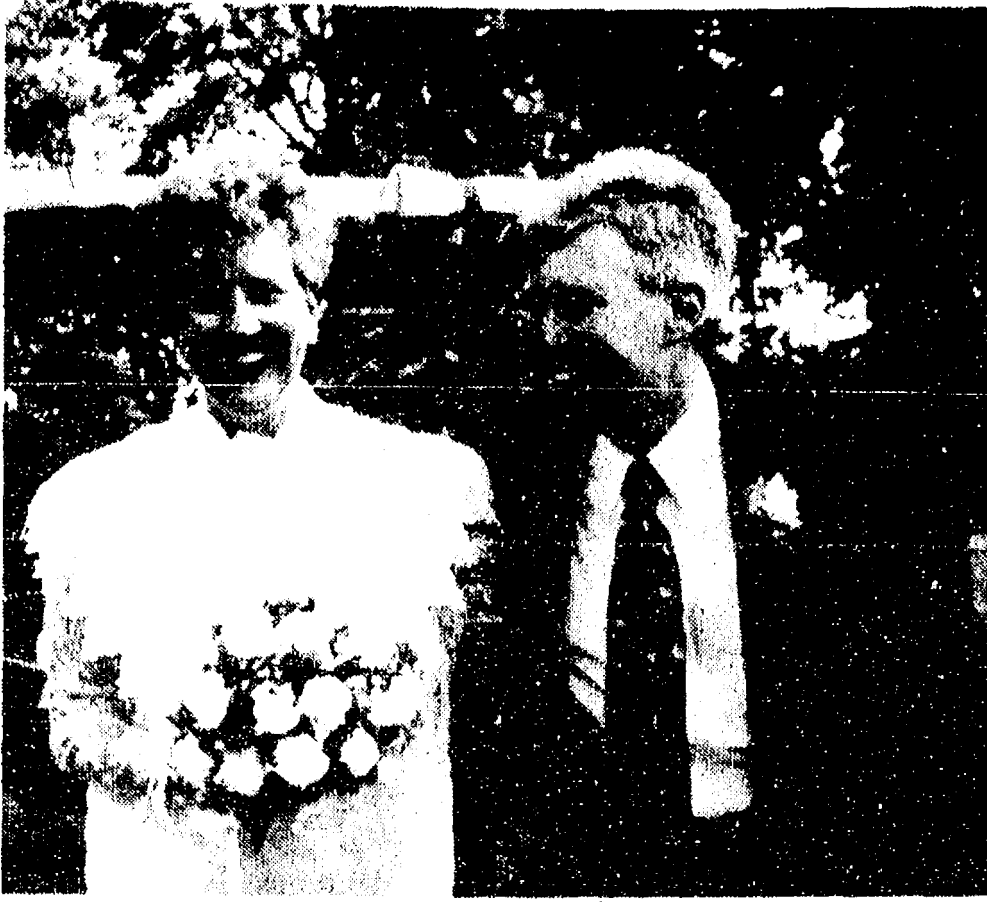
Well, deer season is fast approaching and if I can make it I will be out there for the 51st time on the first morning. If any nice little buck wants to grace my table he will have to arrange our meeting in a spot where I can drive mighty close to it to pick him up. Hunting is an enjoyable and exciting sport up to the time you squeeze the trigger then it's all work from there on. If and when I no longer feel excitement when I catch the movement of a



deer I will be ready to sell my guns.

Besides compared to the deer seasons of the old days when the woods were full of camps and hunters, today's seasons are pretty tame. Year after year the same hunters would have their camp set up in the same spot. Stores and gas stations would have bales of straw for sale to provide beds for tired hunters. Many stayed for the entire season and were out hunting everyday. I've been thinking of taking the motorhome out for a few days of hunting. That would really be roughing it in the modern style with all the conveniences of home including inside plumbing. A lot different from the old days when we didn't have that at home.

The elections will be over by the time this appears in the paper and we will have selected those who will guide our nation for the next four years. Whether we made a good choice or not only time will tell. If we can believe all the promises that we have been subjected to the past few months our troubles are over no matter who won. Somehow I must remain a skeptic that there are any easy answers to the problems we face today. Only if they are prepared to face our problems and deal with them in a realistic manner will any improvement be seen and somehow I do not expect that to happen.



Loth weds Gardiner

Betty A. Loth, formerly of Appleton, WI, and Michael F. Gardiner of Grayling were married on Mackinac Island on August 1.

The wedding was officiated by Rev. Derik Roy of Grayling and was held at the Surrey Hill Gazebo on Mackinac Island. Following the wedding, the couple hosted a luncheon reception at the Chippewa Hotel on the island. The couple will continue to reside in Grayling, where the bride is employed as an occupational therapist at North Central Community Mental Health and the groom is employed as a guidance counselor at Gaylord High School.



EMTS HONORED—"The people in our community are honored and grateful for the service you provide," said Alan Bersted, M.D., Project Medical Director of the North Central Medical Control Board, during the annual Emergency Medical Technicians Recognition Night held recently in Roscommon. Crawford County EMTs of the Year were acknowledged for the valuable contributions they have made to their ambulance services. Each department selected the award recipients as follows: (from left) Laura Smith, South Branch Township; Mike Janisse, Northflight, Roseann Owens, Frederic, and Rob Schultz, Lovells. Dr. Bersted, in saluting the EMTs honored, added, "Nowhere in the state does the dedication run so high."

Range Firing

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling in the following areas:

The Small Arms ranges located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Road, east of the gas pipeline, and south of Portage Creek. Firing will begin on November 6 and cease on November 8.

The Small Arms ranges located at Arrowhead Road in Kalkaska County. Firing will begin on November 6 and cease on November 8.

Range 30 Complex located north of North Down River Road, east of Jones Lake Road, south of County Road 612, and west of Damon Truck Trail. Firing will begin on November 4 and cease on November 11.

The Range 40 Complex, Air to Ground, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will be from November 4 through November 7, and November 10.

The Meadows Of Grayling News

The Michigan United Conservation Club visited us and gave an informative talk about the "wetlands." They brought specimens of animals native to Michigan's environment; among the animals were a mink, a wood duck, a giant snapping turtle, and a six foot eastern fox snake. The residents were delighted and listened attentively. Caroline Harris was brave enough to touch the fox snake. This is a first for Carolyn. She stated how beautiful the animals are and how surprised she was to find the snake was not "slimy."

A hand crocheted lap robe was donated to Vilma Gill by the V.F.W. Club, Local 7303.

Bob Rowe, a great guitarist and singer, gave an outstanding performance on Saturday.

Birthday celebrities for the month of October were: Emma Hinkley, October 10; Alice Hill, October 12; Dorothy Niceswander, October 12; Rose Trosirg, October 22, Verna Gunderson, October 29. We celebrated with cake, ice cream, and laughter, wishing each many more.

Hats off to Tootie Wiley and Helen Mack, also celebrating their birthdays.

Bill McCary and Phillip Sass were given awards of appreciation for their assistance in lending a helping hand at mealtime.



FOX SNAKE--Caroline Harris touches an eastern fox snake during a MUCC program at the Meadows.



LAP ROBE DONATED--Lillian King, of the local V.F.W. Auxiliary (right, standing), presented a lap robe to Vilma Gill (seated). Activity director Carolyn Poll is also shown.



VOLUNTEER AWARD--Bill McCary earned an award of appreciation for helping at mealtime.

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I want to thank the people of Crawford County for their vote of confidence. I also want to thank my chief assistant, David R. Sablin, Court House Secretary, Ann Stephenson, Victim Rights Coordinator Lockett Hollingsworth and U.R.E.S.A. Secretary Sherry Sablin, whose hard work and dedication have in large measure been responsible for the successful operation of the Prosecutor's Office. Myself and my staff look forward to serving you in the future.

John Sablin

Crawford County Prosecuting Attorney

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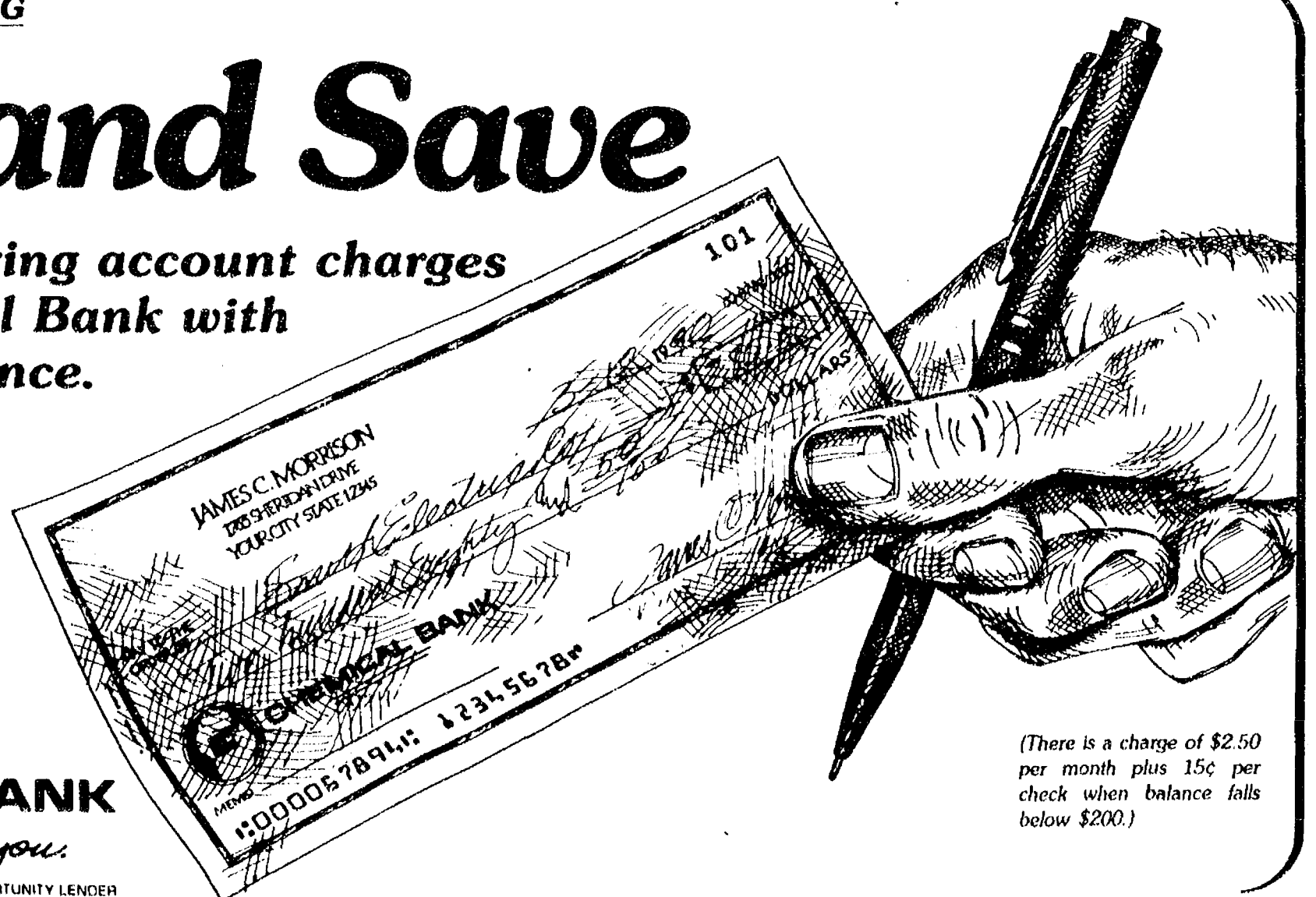
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Obituaries

Alice White
Alice E. White, 66, of rural Perrinton, died Monday, October 26, 1992, at Gratiot Community Hospital in Alma. Funeral services were held Thursday, October 29, 1992, at Dodge Funeral Home in Middleton, with the Rev. Reid Martin officiating. Burial was in Fulton Center Cemetery.
Mrs. White was born February 17, 1926, in Merrill, the daughter of Emil L. and Lena C. (Rohn) Verstaen. She married Theron H. White November 8, 1947, at the Ithaca Methodist Church.
She was a life-long area resident and co-owner of White's Gas in Perrinton and co-owner of the Chief Shoppenagons Hotel of Grayling. She was president of Pompeii United Methodist women, a member of Pompeii United Methodist Church and superintendent of Pompeii United Methodist Sunday School.
She was preceded in death by a brother, Carl; a sister, Edna; and her parents.
Survivors include: husband, Theron; daughters, Linda and her husband Michael Schmidtendorf and Lorraine and her husband, Randy Vinton, both of Perrinton; and two grandchildren.
Memorials may be made to Patient Equipment Locker or Pompeii United Methodist Church.

Loren Goodale, Sr.
Loren J. Goodale, Sr., 87, of Grayling, died Friday, October 30, 1992, at Mercy Hospital. Funeral services were held Monday, November 2, 1992, at Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church, with Dr. Dennis Paulson and Reverend Joseph Carpenter officiating. Masonic Services were held Sunday, November 1, at Sorenson Funeral Home. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.
Pallbearers were Bob Shaw, Floyd Millikin, Mel Passmore, Gene Rauch, Bob Houghton and Joe Hankenson.
Mr. Goodale was born July 16, 1905, in Northville. He and his wife, Caroline, were married January 22, 1927, in Flint. They moved to Grayling in 1968, from Plymouth where he owned and operated a grocery store. Since moving to Grayling he has been a baker in the family business, Goodale's Bakery.
He was a life-member of the Masonic Lodge in both Plymouth and Grayling, life-member of Eastern Stars, Plymouth, member of the Bay City Consistory, the El Khurafah Temple, Michelson Memorial Methodist Church, and the Grayling Rotary Club. He was preceded in death by his parents, Abner and Bessie Viola Belle (Lee) Goodale.
Survivors include: wife, Caroline

(Multhaput) Goodale; daughters, Caroline McMullen of Bentleyville, Pennsylvania, Barbara and Douglas Shaw of Carolina Beach, North Carolina, and Beverly and Robert LaVoisni of Brooklyn; son, Loren and Grace Goodale, Jr. of Grayling; brother, Howard and Avis Goodale of Kalkaska; sister, Eva Croft of Brighton; 16 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.
The family suggests memorials to Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church.
Cards of thanks
We would like to thank the following people and businesses for their donations and help with our Labor Day C.A.R.E. Coffee Break program.
Roy Wedge, Glen's Market, Goodale's Bakery, McDonald's, Wendy's, Jerry Hodder, Hardee's, A & W Root Beer, Rochette's IGA, Carol Weaver, Leo Post, all of Grayling and Northend Grocery, Northern Ice, Quick Sav store, Frank Kammer, Bill Berger of Frederic. We would like to also thank all of our members and friends who donated and worked.
Everyone working together made this a very successful C.A.R.E. Coffee Break program for the holiday travelers.
The Frederic Hobby Club



NORTHLAND B TEAM--The Northland Tigers B team took a bronze medal in the state Special Olympics soccer competition.

Northland Tigercats narrowly miss Special Olympic title

The Northland Tigercats came up one goal short in their bid to capture the state championship at the Michigan Special Olympics Soccer Tournament. The event was held October 16-17 at the GM Tech Center in Warren and attracted 44 Special Olympic soccer teams from across Michigan.
The Northland squad, composed of Special Olympians from Ogemaw, Roscommon, Crawford and Oscoda counties, opened the event with a semi-final victory over Livonia by a 2-0 score. That put the local squad into the Division I finals against Farmington. Last year the same two teams met with Farmington coming out on top by a 1-0 score. The rematch ended the same way with Farmington winning the state title by a 1-0 score. The Northland squad finished the season with a record of six wins, two losses, and one tie.
Crawford County athletes on the silver medal squad included: Jerry Whaley, Chris Whaley, and Geanine Ritter.
The Northland "B" team competed in the 5-a-side competition and took bronze medals after dropping medal round games to Caro and St. Clair.

They finished the season with a record of 5-2. Local athletes included: Harry Good, Joey Briggs, David Hutt and Tom Ferguson.
Grayling olympians Gary Daniels and Malinda Skagerberg each competed in the individual skills competition and won gold and bronze medals respectively.

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FRI. 6	• GBB VS. WHITEMORE PRESCOTT , away, 6:15 pm.	
SAT. 7	• SAT TEST DATE.	
SUN. 8	• NORTHERN MI. SINGLES Dance @ Grayling Holiday Inn, 7-11 pm. All singles 21 & over - cash bar, free snacks, door prizes. Admission \$5. • AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK.	
MON. 9	• VETERAN'S DAY. • KIWANIS LUNCHEON MEETING @ 12:10 pm, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel. • GRIEF BEREAVEMENT Support Group in private dining room at Mercy Hospital, 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm. • BOOK FAIR @ Frederic Elementary Library, 9 am - 4 pm. November 9th - 11th.	
TUES. 10	• GRAYLING PROMOTIONAL Association luncheon meeting, 12 noon, Copper Kettle Restaurant and Lounge. • GBB VS. CHARLEVOIX , away, 6 pm.	
WED. 11	• EARLY DISMISSAL for all students beginning @ 12:15 pm at both elementary schools for Parent/Teacher Conference. Elem. P/T 1-4 pm, MS P/T 6-8:30 pm. • WEIGHT WATCHER'S MEETING @ St. Francis Episcopal Church on M-72 West; weigh-in 4:45 pm, meeting 5:30 pm. • ROTARY LUNCHEON MEETING @ noon, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel. • COA BOARD MEETING @ Grayling Housing Commission Building, 308 Lawndale 5:30 pm. • FREE BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENS & minimal fee blood sugar screenings held by North Flight Ambulance Team, 11:00 am - 1:30 pm @ COA.	

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Busy year on stage continues for South Branch playwright

South Branch playwright Tom Hammond has had a busy year. The author of *The North Downriver Cycles*, a twenty-four part work-in-progress for the theater, has been shuttling back and forth between Grayling and Traverse City since the beginning of 1992.

In January of this year, rehearsals of his full length work, *Shiawassee County Seat* (The Camp 10 Index: #4), began at the Studio Theater of the Old Town Playhouse in Traverse City. The play opened in March to favorable

reviews and excellent audience response. In May, a staged reading of *Shiawassee County Seat* was given in New York City by the American Renaissance Theater.

As soon as the staged reading was completed, Hammond joined the Michigan Ensemble Theater (MET) as a featured actor for their summer season at the Denny's Museum in Traverse City. MET is Traverse City's only professional theater company, and their three play summer season consisted of two musicals (*Chorus Line* and *The Fantasticks*) and one straight play (*Broadway Bound*). Hammond appeared in *Broadway Bound* and *The Fantasticks*.

The day after the MET season closed, rehearsals began at The Old Town Playhouse for Hammond's present venture, *Stuck*. *Stuck* is an evening of three one act plays: *Krapp's Last Tape*, by Samuel Beckett, *To Parmalee* (The Perc Cheney Manifest: #3), by Hammond himself, and *The*

Dumb Waiter, by Harold Pinter. Hammond is wearing three hats in this venture; he acts in the first play, wrote and directs the second, and directs the third.

In *Krapp's Last Tape*, a writer listens to a tape he made 30 years ago, when he was celebrating his 29th birthday. He then dictates a new tape. His last. In *To Parmalee*, three gentlemen wait at McMaisters Bridge for Roger to come and take them home. They see something come down the river. What is it? In *The Dumb Waiter* two assassins wait in the basement of an abandoned building for their instructions. The instructions arrive, and are carried out. Hammond has added a twist to this play. The two assassins (Ben and Gus) are middle-aged men. Hammond has cast two young women in the roles.

Performances of *Stuck* are October 29, 30, 31 and November 5, 6, 7 at the Studio Theater in The Old Town Playhouse, Cass and Eighth Streets, Traverse City. The curtain is 8 p.m. and tickets are \$5 at the door.

What will be Hammond's next venture after *Stuck* closes? "I'm going to the U.P. and sit in the woods for a couple of weeks. Then I'll decide," he said.



BUSY YEAR—South Branch Township resident Tom Hammond continues his busy year on the stage. He's shown here in Samuel Beckett's *Krapp's Last Tape*.

Doodles From The Tall Timber

Wendell L. Hoover Park Interpreter, Hartwick Pines State Park

By choice, I was back away from the nearest road and it was dark. Not so dark that you couldn't see tree trunks, but definitely dark enough to hide those eye poking branches. Trying to keep a direction was difficult, until I looked up at the sky. An old friend and a directional beacon used for centuries, was there twinkling in the soft black velvet of the sky. The North Star or Polaris, is the first star many of us are taught to locate, due to its relationship to the Big Dipper.

Polaris or the North Star, is the tail star of the Little Dipper, which has a reversed curve to the handle. Polaris is commonly used by navigators to determine latitude, but I needed it to help maintain a direction. Even there

in the woods, a far back story came to mind about a party of Indians returning from a hunt, who had lost their way in the forest. In answer to their prayers, a little girl appeared and told them she was the spirit of the Pole Star, sent to guide them. The hunters followed her and soon reached their village. They then called the Pole Star "the star which never moves." When the hunters died they were transported to the sky and forever follow the faithful Pole Star.

Yes, there was a compass in my possession, but what better guide could I have had than that provided by what the far back people called the Great Spirit.

Church hosting business luncheon

The women of Michelson United Methodist Church will be serving a business luncheon, open to everybody, on Thursday, November 19, from 11:30 to 1:30.

Menu will be turkey a' la king, served on homemade biscuits, a vegetable and dessert for \$3.50. Carry-outs are available.

Miller earns MTU degree

Richard Miller of Grayling, received an associate of applied science degree in electrical engineering technology from Michigan Technological University. He was graduated summa cum laude.

Seniors help animal shelter

The animal shelter has a new wind break just in time to keep the cold winter winds from blowing through the shelter's front door. A. J. Hall and Fred Krolkowski, volunteers through the R.S.V.P. program, helped build the wind break. Doug Gierke helped the shelter become a R.S.V.P. station and shelter director Dixie Lobsinger is looking forward to being involved with the seniors who donate their time and expertise through this program.

Donations of materials were given by Rutter's Building Center, DuBois Lumber, Wolohan Lumber, McLeans Hardware, the A-1 Carpenter and his A-1 Gofer, and the Senior Citizens Bowling League.

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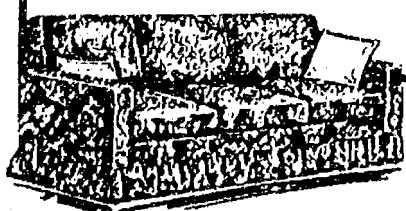
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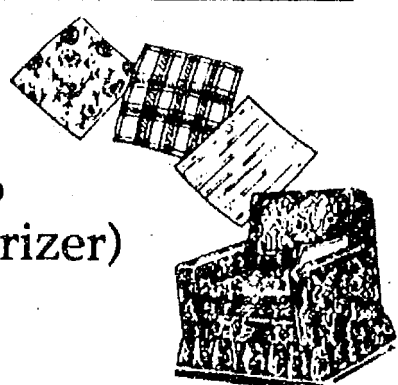
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GHS to present two one-act plays Nov. 13-14

By Jeff Taylor

GHS publications class

The Grayling High School Drama Department is busily preparing to present, not one, but two short one-act plays by Anton Chekov: "The Marriage Proposal" and "The Bear." Performances are scheduled for Friday and Saturday, November 13 and 14, at 8 p.m. in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium. Tickets are \$4 at the door. The two comedies are under the direction of Mr. David Glicker of the GHS English Department and include a total of six actors.

Glicker said he chose the two plays, "because I saw Rip Torn and Geraldine

Page do them over 20 years ago, and it just knocked my socks off! I played Smirnov in "The Bear," in London, England, and I have always wanted to do the two plays together. I consider Chekov to be one of the greatest masters of the one-act play."

"The Marriage Proposal" is about a neurotic man, Ivan Vassiliyich Lomov, (sophomore Eric Shepherd), who has a variety of ailments and who has come to ask his neighbor, Stepan Stepanovich Tschubukov (sophomore Nat Rosi), for the hand of his daughter, Natalia (senior Melyssa Miller).

After Tschubukov excitedly accepts

Lomov's offer, Tschubukov leaves the room and Lomov is confronted by Natalia. Natalia, not realizing Lomov's intentions for proposing marriage, ignites an argument over a strip of property that lies between the two neighbors as to whom it actually belongs. As the tirade reaches a pinnacle, Lomov crawls away in the throes of his many illnesses. After Tschubukov reveals Lomov's true intentions to Natalia, she frantically begs for him to retrieve her husband-to-be. When Tschubukov returns with Lomov, they once again start to argue — this time about their dogs. After the argument is resolved, Tschubukov

urges the two to get married.

Student director for "The Marriage Proposal" is sophomore Michael Amman.

The other production, "The Bear," is about a young widow named Elena Papova, (senior Yolanda Rosi), who has forced herself to stay in her house in mourning, despite the fact her aged footman Luka (sophomore Jeff Taylor) encourages her to leave the house and socialize.

While Elena grieves, she is confronted by an aggressive bear of a man named Smirnov (junior Shawn Hubbard) a creditor who has come to collect money owed to him by her late

husband. After she tells him that she simply can't give him the money at that moment, Smirnov launches into a hysterical tirade because he desperately needs the money that day. Finally, she orders her elderly servant to physically remove the rude Smirnov. Luka then gets seriously ill and falls onto a couch, while Smirnov and the widow argue without even noticing what has happened to Luka. As the play goes on, Smirnov becomes attracted to the woman.

Student director for "The Bear" is sophomore Amy Voight.

"Being in the play is a unique experience because you get to dress up in funny costumes and make a fool of yourself. Besides, it's not the same as other school activities," said Eric Shepherd.

Nat Rosi said he enjoys the plays because, "you can express yourself in ways you normally wouldn't."

Sophomore Jacob Lepsy is propmaster for the two plays. Junior Katie DeVries is in charge of costumes. Doing makeup is professional makeup artist Dan Choszyck, who has volunteered his services for the two productions.

School Page

Grayling Middle School

Megan Walker
Mrs. Fagerlie's 5th grade
The Candy Snatcher

It was Halloween night and the trick or treaters were safely at home eating their candy. It was getting dark and gloomy, and there was a full moon.

There was a toy store and inside of the front window was a little stuffed bear. The bear comes alive on Halloween night when there is a full moon. The bear came out after the children went home.

The bear rode on his broom in the dark to visit his friend the moon. The moon told the bear to fly around and go steal candy from the children.

The bear was flying around from house to house when a little girl saw the bear on the broom. The girl was frightened thinking it was a witch, and hid in her closet when she saw it come closer to her house. When the bear entered her room to look for candy, the girl, realizing it was only a bear, jumped out at the bear and scared him. The bear, trying to escape the girl, trapped him. The girl wanted to know why he was stealing candy, and told him to take it back. To make sure the bear took all the candy back, she rode with him on the broom. But while they were taking the candy back, the moon got very angry. The moon made the broom stop flying and they fell to the ground. Hurting the bear from falling the little girl took him home. The bear told the girl that the moon made him steal candy on Halloween night. That night the bear stayed with the little girl. The next day when she woke up the bear had turned back into a stuffed animal. The girl was sad, but she kept him and slept with the bear every night hoping that next Halloween night he would come alive again. And he did come alive again, but this time he went trick or treating to get his own candy. Now on Halloween, the little girl and the bear always go trick or treating together.

The End.

Jerry Roman
Mrs. Wagar 7th grade
What my brother and I do!

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Cheryl Papendick
Merdil Pumpkin
Miss Wallace 5th grade
Pumpkin Autobiography

I was planted behind a brown house.

My owner's name is Stephanie Wichert. My mother died for me. They cut her open and took out the seeds. I was planted in 1991. I have no family.

You're probably wondering why I have a dent in my head. Well, Stephanie has a little brother. His name is Jay. He is one and a half. He always comes and kicks me in the side. One day he missed my side and kicked my tooth out.

I was never picked because Jay kicked me and they thought I was no good. So, I have to live here for the rest of my life.

In 1992 I had to suffer a bad loss of losing my best friend, Peter. His owner's name is Charles Young. They picked him in 1992. I was very sad.

I had to lose all my friends on Halloween. They all got picked, I didn't.

One day I almost died. My owner forgot to water me. One day Jay kicked me and I almost died again. Now it is 1992, October 6. I woke up this morning and I am rotting. I've lived long enough to write this story of my life.

Mike Latusek

My Name is Mike the pumpkin. I was planted in a graveyard after someone threw my mother against the graveyard wall.

As I grew up I realized I was quite short, but kind of fat. My dad was fat, too. But, my brothers and sisters were slim. They teased me all the time. I was having a rough life. My mom was dead, I was fat, and my brothers and sisters were slim. I was having a miserable life. I didn't even have friends because I was fat.

I was picked by Eric Addams when he went to see his grandma in the graveyard. When he saw me he asked if he could have it. When his mom said he could, he grabbed me and took me with a sharp knife and it sort of hurt, but when he was finished I liked the results. He gave me two triangular eyes, one triangular nose and five pointy teeth.

When I was grown up I felt mad at whoever killed my mom. I wanted revenge! I decided to kill that person that killed my mom. That was my mistake. After I killed him it became a habit and I killed people for no reason. That is how I got the stitcher and the gun hole.

I died on Halloween when someone picked me up and threw me at the wall of the house. My guts and seeds and my face splattered all over the place.

One year later I had a baby pumpkin from my seeds that had splattered around when someone threw me against the wall.

Frederic Elementary hosts Book Fair

Frederic Elementary School will sponsor a Scholastic Book Fair, presenting a wide variety of books for students at all reading levels, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. November 9-13.

According to the Barbara Bush Foundation For Family Literacy, when parents and teachers work together to

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The Frederic Elementary School Book Fair will display hundreds of

titles, including award-winning favorites, classics, how-to-books, biographies, mysteries, adventures and the latest works of popular authors. All are offered at reasonable prices, so that the students can choose books that appeal to their personal interests and

purchase gifts for their young readers.

Proceeds from the fair will benefit the Frederic Elementary Library Media Center, but the real profit lies in introducing children to the "MAGIC" of the books and in encouraging them to be lifelong readers.

Frederic Elementary School

Wendy Klooster
Mrs. Wiltse 4th grade
The Magic Pumpkin

One day (very close to Halloween) somebody planted a seed in the garden. That same day leaves grew where he planted the seed. They were pumpkin leaves. He hadn't watered it and it didn't rain but it still grew. In about two hours it was a full size pumpkin! He was a marvelous pumpkin and he liked his new home. But that very day somebody picked him off his branch. He missed his friends Sir Squash and Mr. Watermelon. The weird thing is the person who picked him off his branch cut him open, emptied him out and carved a face on him. He wasn't quite sure what he looked like but he thought he looked pretty good because everybody admired him. He grew to be a beautiful jack-o-lantern. Then the night before Halloween the boy put a candle in him and set him on the porch. The jack-o-lantern was very grateful for the candle because it kept him warm. The boy went out trick or treating. He came back late at night with a bag full of candy. The next afternoon the boy put the jack-o-lantern back in the garden. The jack-o-lantern didn't know why, but he thought the boy didn't like him any more. He was very sad after that until one day he found his friends, Sir Squash and Mr. Watermelon. They lived happily ever after.

Grayling Junior Basketball sign-up extended 7 days

Registration for Grayling Junior Basketball (formerly known as Jr. Pro Basketball) for boys grades 3-6 has been extended until 6 p.m. Saturday, November 7. Parents need to sign up players at Hanson Hills between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. weekdays and 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Saturday.

Cost is \$20 a player with a maximum of \$40 per family. The higher registration fee this year will eliminate the need for a fundraiser by the players.

Grayling Recreation Authority

POM-PON SQUAD TRYOUTS

Grayling Recreation will hold tryouts for the 1992-93 Pom-Pon Squad November 18, 19, and 20 from 6-8 p.m. at Grayling High School. Tryouts are open to girls in grades 9-12 and will consist of 2 practices, November 18 and 19, and final judging on November 20. A 14-member squad will be chosen. Rules, regulations, and consent forms will be distributed at the first practice and must be completed and returned before the final judging. For more information, please contact Grayling Recreation Authority at 348-9266, extension 10 during the daytime or Teresa Furst at 348-3296 during the evening.



LEARNING ABOUT FIRE DEPARTMENTS—The Primary class at Frederic Elementary visited the Frederic Township Fire Department on Monday, October 12. (Left to right, back row) fireman Mike Wargo, Michael Lovely, Dale Wright, J.B. Quintano, Patrick Devine, Kyle Bond, Gary Feeney, Casey Mahaffy, Ashley Murray, Carolyn Dobry and fireman Jim Stoddard, (front row) Doug Webb, Sarah Dadafoe, Jennifer Mathey, Brian Stevens, Anthony Etson, Sean Darling, Shane Isenhauer and Henry Lane.



IS THE BAND READY?—Yeeeeeeeeessssss!!!!!! The GHS marching band, with drum major Melissa Wakeley (second from right) in the lead, runs onto the field to perform its spooky halftime ceremony at the October 30 football game. The band will also play at the state playoff game at Saginaw Swan Valley on Saturday, November 7.



BAND FRUIT SALE—The GHS marching band, in its regular garb, performs its halftime ceremony at a varsity football game. The band is currently raising needed funds with its annual fruit sale, sponsored by the Band Boosters. People not contacted by a band member can call 348-4301 (after 6 p.m.) to place an order. The fruit -- grapefruits and oranges -- can be picked up at Grayling Elementary School on Saturday, December 5.

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Wyss, Cook lead GHS golfers at Great Northern Conference meet

By Nancy Lemmen
Grayling High School senior Josh Wyss shot an 85 to take a 2nd place and earn all-conference honors in the Great Northern Conference golf meet, held at the Grand Traverse Resort Course in Acme on October 7.
Wyss shot a 39 on the front nine holes and 46 on the back nine, which put him only one stroke behind the meet leader, Mark Williams, of Harbor Springs.
"I was kind of surprised because, on the first nine, I kind of disappointed myself. When the second nine began, I turned over a new leaf. I couldn't make a mistake," said Wyss, a five-year golfer at area courses, including Grayling Country Club, Fox Run and Garland.
Junior Ben Cook won honorable mention honors with a 96, just missing all-league honors.
"It was a very hard course and I felt like I played it very well," said Cook,

who has been playing golf for ten years at the Grayling Country Club.
"The resort course was one of the toughest courses," said GHS athletic director Ben Laser, who substituted for Coach Herb Olson. "Although the day was windy, it went fairly well and we had some good scores."
Freshman Kevin Langseth shot a 105; senior Jeff Pahssen, 106; junior Josh Wells, 109; and sophomore Charlie Kucharek, 118.
Grayling took 6th place at the meet and 8th place overall for the season in the ten-school conference.
SEASON MEETS
The Vikings fell to West Branch on September 28. Cook, Wyss and Wells all shot a 51. Pahssen had a 53 and Langseth, 63.
They took 4th in a four-team meet against Charlevoix, Boyne City and Harbor Springs on the 30th. Wyss led the team with a 45. Cook and Wells both shot a 51; Kucharek, 55; Pahssen and Langseth, 58.

Grayling beat Rogers City in the final meet of the season, 192-195, on October 5 at the Grayling Country Club. Cook led with a 45. Wyss followed closely with 46. Wells shot a 50; Langseth, 51; Pahssen, 54; and Kucharek, 61.
REGIONAL MEET
The Vikings took last place at the regional meet, held October 9, at the Michaywe Pines Course in Gaylord.
"It was cold and raining, and everybody was soaking wet," said Laser. "We didn't do so well."
Again, Wyss was Grayling's number one scorer with a 94. Cook followed with a 106. Wells shot 110 and Pahssen, 122.
"The kids really played fairly well under the conditions," said Laser. "Although we finished 17th out of 17 teams, it was a good experience for those who got to go."
Both he and Olson agreed that Grayling should be better in 1993: "It's tough to be a first-year team

against schools with golfers who have played for three or four years. We are losing two seniors — Wyss and Pahssen — but the underclassmen are improving."
"I expect that we'll be in the top three or four teams in the league next year, depending on how they develop over the summer and what 8th graders come up."
"They're coming along," concluded Laser. "I think they had fun and Herb did a great job. We got lots of compliments on their shirts, which came from Sylvester's. They conducted themselves well and behaved like gentlemen, according to golf etiquette. They did a nice job and it gave several boys the chance to let in a sport."
"I was pretty surprised that we did so well for the first year," said Wyss. "We really came together and realized how to have fun as a team."



Josh Wyss

Ben Cook

Sports

Grayling's defense leads way in 44-30 win over Lincoln-Alcona

By Nancy Lemmen
The Grayling High School girls varsity basketball team defeated division opponent Lincoln-Alcona, 44-30, in a home court contest last Thursday evening.
The Vikings jumped to a 13-4 lead at the end of the first period and maintained a healthy 23-14 margin at halftime. Third quarter score was 32-22.
"This was a great game with even scoring and a much better team rebounding effort," said Coach Howard Lehti. "We understood going into the game that we couldn't commit as many fouls as we have been in many close games. We've been finding ourselves behind, mainly because of fouls."
"We've been working on a three-quarter court trap," continued Lehti. "It worked well against Kalkaska and even better against Alcona. We haven't been able to press all year. We're continually working on this to make it stronger."
"Our defense kept Alcona out of its half court offense all night. It was a great defensive effort and we shot better. We made the easy shots. In many games, we haven't capitalized on these shots."
Senior Heidi Craigie led the Viking

scoring attack with 13 points and also had four rebounds, two assists and seven steals.
Senior Sarah Micek added six points, seven rebounds and three steals; junior Darcie McCurdy contributed six points, seven rebounds and two steals; senior Amy Vandecar had six points, four rebounds, one assist and two steals; and junior Mande Micek made three points, eight rebounds and four steals.
Junior Angie Mertes had two points, one rebound and one steal; junior Jaime Andrus, two points, one rebound and two steals; senior Elissa Cox, six points; senior Suzan Lovely, one rebound, two assists and two steals; and sophomore Nicole Parker, two steals.
KALKASKA GAME
Grayling fell to Kalkaska, 44-37, on October 27.
"It was the week Grayling should have won two games," admitted Lehti. "We were ahead for three and a half quarters against Kalkaska and we won the first time against them."
The score was a close 8-7 after the first quarter, 23-18 at the half and 29-23 after three periods. But the Blue Blazers outscored Grayling in the final period to take the win.
"The story of the game went down

to the final four minutes," said Lehti. "Kalkaska was 12 for 16 at the foul line in the final quarter. Grayling committed too many careless fouls. We have to play better defense in the final quarter. We fouled four different players and they put the ball in."
"We have to learn to play under better control when we have the lead. After the middle of the fourth quarter, Grayling never caught up. We're not very good at playing catch-up basketball."
The Vikings have been losing out at the foul line throughout the entire season, but Tuesday's game saw some improvement. While Grayling put in eight for 17 free throws, Kalkaska made 15 for 26.

S. Micek led the Vikings in points with 15 (including five for eight at the foul line) and rebounds with ten.
"She had a nice night," said Lehti. Vandecar made three points, 11 rebounds, one assist and five steals.
McCurdy had four points and seven rebounds; Cox, four points, three rebounds, one assist and one steal; Andrus, six points and three rebounds; Craigie, five points, one rebound and one assist; Parker, two rebounds and four assists; and Mertes, three rebound.
The Vikings host Whittemore-Prentiss on Friday, November 6, in a Parents' Night celebration, and travel to Charlevoix on Tuesday, November 10.



IN FOR TWO--Senior Heidi Craigie dumps in two of the 13 points she accumulated in Thursday night's win over Lincoln-Alcona. The GHS varsity basketball team defeated its division opponent, 44-30.

JV girls win 53-33 against Lincoln-Alcona

The Grayling High School girls junior varsity basketball team fell to Kalkaska, 55-47, on October 27.
"The team did not play well in the first quarter," said Coach Dallas Hudson. "We were real flat and were not rebounding well. Kalkaska controlled the boards in that quarter and was getting many chances to shoot the ball. They outscored us by ten points in that quarter."
"The score at halftime was Grayling 22, Kalkaska 21," said Hudson. "It was an excellent comeback by the team. There were 46 fouls called in the game on both teams, which caused it to go slow. Four of our starters were in foul trouble at halftime."
"I'm satisfied with the way the team played," he said. "They gave 100% after the first quarter and I feel they could have won it. I believe they think the same."
Freshman Jenny Wilkins led the scoring with 19 points. Sophomore Carol Lanczy added ten points and 11 rebounds. Freshman Brooke Blaauw made seven points and 17 rebounds; sophomore Nicole Wilcox, six points; and freshman Amy Neal, five points and 11 rebounds.
WIN OVER ALCONA
The JV squad soundly defeated Lincoln-Alcona, 53-33, on October 28.

"The team played as a team and executed the game plan we had set up very well," said Hudson. "All the players got a lot of playing time and, most of all, they had fun playing the game. This is what happens when a team plays as a team."
"Our game plan was to keep Alcona off balance by changing up our defense on them and keep them guessing on what we were doing, and do the things we were comfortable doing as a team. This was a good game by all."
Lanczy was leading scorer for the Vikings with 12 points, as well as eight rebounds. Wilkins had 12 points and eight steals; Neal, ten points and seven rebounds; Blaauw, nine points and ten rebounds; sophomore Danyell Galvani, four points and eight rebounds; Wilcox, two points; sophomore Angie Young, two points; and sophomore Samara Sabin, two points.
"Danyell Galvani played one of her best games this year," said Hudson. "She worked hard on offense and defense for us and made a big difference in the outcome of the game."
The Vikings host a Parents' Night contest against Whittemore-Prentiss on Friday, November 6, at 6:15 p.m., and play Charlevoix away on Tuesday, November 10, at 6 p.m.



EASY LAYUP--Freshman Amy Neal puts in a layup shot in the GHS junior varsity basketball squad's victory over Lincoln-Alcona on Thursday evening. Neal chalked up ten points in the game.

8th graders finish season with victory

The Grayling Middle School 8th grade girls basketball B team beat the Kalkaska Blue Blazers, 16-12, on October 26.
"The entire team played well, both offensively and especially defensively," said Coach John Smock. "We allowed Kalkaska only two points in the second and third quarters. Offensively, we were shooting the ball more when we had the open shots."
Jamie Brannan led the scoring with eight points. Jessica St. Germain added three; Heather Curtis and Jenny Ohsowski each contributed two; and Jami Secord made one.
"Erin Patrick played a strong

defensive game, as did Rachael Porter and Heidi Callewaert," said the coach. "We finished the season on a winning note," said Smock. "Our record was 4-5, but the main thing was the girls improved each game and that was the key to a successful season for me from a coaching standpoint. I'm proud of the girls and will miss them."
"I would like to thank Gerry St. Germain for volunteering his help to the girls and me at every practice," said Smock. "Gerry was a great help to me and I appreciate it. I would also like to thank Mary Dobry for her help as manager. She did a great job and I certainly wish I would have had her as our manager all year long."

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FOOTBALL Contest



Our first repeat winner of this year is Butch Brown. In a week of upsets, he edged out John Wireman, Mary Ann Reynolds, Michele Paretti, Rick Mrazik, Dawn Junttila, Ronald Johnson, Julie Fagan, and Al Cherven on the first tie-breaker. All nine players tied with 13 points -- the lowest winning total this year.

The overall contest had a leader change. Here are the top ten: Al Cherven, 120; David Petrie, 120; Douglas Donaldson, 119; Joseph Goniea, 119; Julie Gates, 119; David Bendig & son, 119; Butch Brown, 118; Paul

Hartman, 118; Mary Ann Blair, 117; John Meredith, 117; Bonnie O'Dell, 117; and Carol Sieloff, 117.

Games for Oct. 31-Nov. 2

1. Dallas	10. Cincinnati
2. Green Bay	11. New Orleans
3. Atlanta	12. N. Y. Giants
4. N.Y. Jets	13. MSU
5. Phoenix	14. Akron
6. Buffalo	15. Nebraska
7. Minnesota	16. Florida
8. Pittsburgh	17. Tennessee Tech
9. San Diego	18. U of M

Here's how to win the overall prizes:

1. Each time you turn in an entry form you'll receive points for your correct picks. Most games will be worth one point. (All games for week 1 are worth one point each.) Later in the season, certain games will be designated as bonus point games worth more than 1 point. The biggest bonus point game will be at the last week of the contest.
2. You don't have to enter each week to be eligible to win but if you play each week, you'll have more chances to win points.
3. The person with the most points at the end of the 17-week contest will win all the overall prizes.

Here's how to be a weekly winner:

1. Write your prediction for game one on entry form.
2. Write the advertiser's name on entry form for game one. All the advertisers must be included.
3. Fill out rest of entry form this way including your two tie-breaker predictions (total points scored by both teams).
4. Return the entry form by 5 p.m. Friday to the Avalanche. Mail slot in our door may be used Wednesday or Thursday night after 5 p.m. and before 9 a.m. Mail entries must be postmarked Friday or earlier. No late entries accepted. No exceptions.
5. The person with the most correct picks wins all the weekly prizes listed.

Overall Prizes

- *\$25 gift certificate from Rutter's Building Center
- *\$25 gift certificate from Mac's Drug Store
- *\$25 gift certificate from Ole Dam Rd. Party Store
- *\$25 gift certificate from DuBois Lumber
- *\$10 gift certificate from Grayling Glen's Market
- *\$10 gift certificate from Sears of Grayling
- *\$6 gift certificate from Spike's Keg O'Nails
- *Monday Steak & Mushroom Special, dinner for two, gift certificate from Chief Shoppenagon's Hotel
- *Party Host Gas Grill (value \$30) from Fuelgas
- *Free car wash and dry from Diane's Milltown Car Wash
- *Free lube, oil, and filter from Scheer Motors
- *\$100 cash and a one-year free subscription from the Crawford County Avalanche

Weekly Prizes

- *Monday Steak & Mushroom Special, dinner for two, gift certificate from Chief Shoppenagon's Hotel
- *\$10 gift certificate from Grayling Glen's Market
- *\$6 gift certificate from Spike's Keg O'Nails
- *Two Super Gulps and two large nachos, a \$6 value, from 7-Eleven
- *Free car wash and dry from Diane's Milltown Car Wash
- *\$10 gift certificate from Sears of Grayling
- *Two free video rentals from Larry & Joan's Place
- *Mystery gift from Sylvester's
- *\$10 off any service at Grayling Car Care
- *\$50 cash from the Crawford County Avalanche

(print) NAME _____	PHONE _____
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Games for Nov. 7-9 WINNER	ADVERTISER
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Game 3 _____	_____
Game 4 _____	_____
Game 5 _____	_____
Game 6 _____	_____
Game 7 _____	_____
Game 8 _____	_____
Game 9 _____	_____
Game 10 _____	_____
Game 11 _____	_____
Game 12 _____	_____
Game 13 _____	_____
Game 14 _____	_____
Game 15 _____	_____
Game 16 _____	_____
Game 17 _____	_____
Game 18 _____	_____

Tiebreaker 1 (total points scored in game 1) _____
Tiebreaker 2 (total points scored in game 18) _____

Avalanche Football Contest Official Rules

1. Contestants must list the advertiser in which each game is found. Entry blanks without advertisers listed will be invalid.
2. One entry per person a week will be accepted. Crawford Co. Avalanche employees are not eligible.
3. Completed entry blanks must be returned to the Avalanche no later than 5 p.m. Friday before each week's games. Mailed entries must be postmarked no later than 5 p.m. Friday. Mail to Avalanche, PO Box 490, Grayling, MI, 49738.
4. Entries must be on an official entry blank as printed in the Avalanche. No purchase necessary to enter. Entry forms are available at the Avalanche office.
5. Winners may claim their prizes at the Avalanche office between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. weekdays. Identification and a social security number must be presented when claiming a prize.

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Your Horoscope

Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast Period: Nov. 8-14

ARIES Mar. 21-Apr. 19	Your temper is likely to get you into trouble. Keep your mouth closed and be patient.
TAURUS Apr. 20-May 20	You will have to work hard to complete all the tasks waiting for you. Play-time will have to wait.
GEMINI May 21-June 20	Look within yourself to discover your true motives. Are you being fair to everyone involved.
CANCER June 21-July 22	Self-discipline is the key. Major goals can be met with greater organization.
LEO July 23-Aug. 22	Someone is likely to beat you to the punch. VIP's will be impressed but your tenacity and intelligence will shine through.
VIRGO Aug. 23-Sept. 22	Indulge yourself in a blind date. Take a chance. You never know what's around the corner.
SCORPIO Oct. 23-Nov. 21	A younger person looks up to you. Be careful not to give the wrong impression.
LIBRA Sept. 22-Oct. 22	Early retirement sounds great, but you may not be ready for all that free time. Your mate may have other suggestions.
SAGITTARIUS Nov. 22-Dec. 21	Influential people take notice. Let your creative and productive skills loose.
CAPRICORN Dec. 22-Jan. 19	Seek counsel from one who understands you. It may not be easy for you to accept the advice given, but it will be on target.
AQUARIUS Jan. 20-Feb. 18	Home improvements can still be made before bad weather sets in. Don't put them off any longer.
PISCES Feb. 19-Mar. 20	Romance may need a stimulus. Be daring. Go for the gold. Live out your fantasies.

Features



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Verse or Worse

By Joe Murphy

To Sisters

I met two nice ladies the other day
As I recall named Audrey and Min
But there was something that caught my eye
Right from the minute they walked in

They both had a twinkle in their eye
And kind of an impish smile
That set the old man back in his chair
To sort of study them awhile

Then it dawned on me they were sisters
There were many similarities I could see
So I had to ask them if they were sisters
When they sat at a table close to me

They assured me they were sisters
Though it was really none of my business anyway
But we started a pleasant conversation
And we all had a few words to say

It started me thinking of sisterhood
And all of those childhood days they'd shared
For it was easy to see as they looked at each other
That they were both the kind that cared

I could picture them whispering secrets in the night
Sharing each childhood joy
Like the A they got in English class
Or a valentine from a certain boy

I want to salute your sisterhood
And your love and concern for one another
Uncluttered by those macho things
That stand between brother and brother

A Look At Our Past from the pages of the Avalanche

23 years ago November 6, 1969

The Grayling Vikings sailed to a 28-6 victory in their final game against the Kalkaska Blue Blazers, to take sole possession of first place in the Northern Lower Michigan League.

The league championship is the first for Grayling since 1942, as they finished the season with a 6-1 league record and 7-1 overall. Mancelona and Petoskey St. Francis tied for second place with 5-2 marks.

Eighteen seniors saw their final action last Friday on the Viking gridiron. Seniors are on the league championship team are: Bruce Burkett, Jim Knibbs, Dave Holmes, Bill Proulx, Dale Papendick, Max Tobin, Barry Hatfield, Skeeter Feldhauser, Mike Hauxwell, John Hirvela, Cy Wakeley, Jim Beckwith, Craig Dandy, Jere Madsen, Mike Kucharek, Vern Hartman, Dick Persing and Louis Maurer.

Richard and Cindi Carlson and cousin, Corlynn Meech drove to Hart Saturday to spend the weekend with their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rod Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook have left to spend the winter in Roca Roton, Fla. Jonnie will be one of the golf pros under Sam Snead at the Roca Roton golf course. They expect to return to Gaylord in the spring, where Jonnie is a golf pro at Hidden Valley.

Marilyn Johnson spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson, bringing a friend, Marsha Hall of Mt. Pleasant with her. The girls are students at Saginaw Business Institute.

Mrs. Ruth Fenton and daughter, Mrs. Peggy Menge, spent the weekend of the 25th visiting another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Holtcamp and family in Manistee.

On Thursday evening, November 6, 1969, the Grayling High School Choralaires will present their premier concert in the multi-purpose room of the Grayling Elementary School. The Choralaires are the newest addition to the Vocal Music Department. The Choralaires are comprised of 26 vocalists from grades 10, 11 and 12.

46 years ago November 7, 1946

An exchange of letters between Representative Roy O. Woodruff, Clarence Johnson and Brigadier-General LeRoy Pearson indicates that the Michigan National Guard will receive the Grayling Army Air Field under what the Army terms a "revocable permit."

Virgil Kolka, PFC, Korea, enlisted for a three-year hitch in the U.S. Army and left August 2. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kolka announce his marriage to Lt. Joyce Brown, W.A.C., in a military wedding in Korea.

The Grayling Chamber of Commerce, meeting in its first session with the new president, Wesley Kumpula presiding, named Arthur

Clough, immediate past president, as the general chairman of the Winter Sports Committee.

Saturday, Oct. 26, Mrs. Elsie Cochran and Mr. N. B. VanNatter surprised their many friends by going to Gaylord where they were married by Rev. Virgil Billings.

Mrs. C. S. Barber, Mrs. Kenneth Allen, and Mrs. Harry Horton were callers in Traverse City last Tuesday. Margie Caid spent the weekend at home, returning Sunday night to Bay City to attend to her school duties.

A lovely shower was given at the Town Hall last Thursday evening, honoring the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Pierson Spaulding. A nice crowd gathered with their nicely wrapped gifts to extend their hearty congratulations to the couple, who left the next day for Harrison, Mich., where they plan to make their home.

Mrs. Earl Lovely and daughter, Betsy Louise, came home from the hospital last Wednesday.

Mrs. Joseph Stripe taught the third grade class three days last week and Mrs. Emil Giegling taught Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lovely, Mrs. Otto Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson, Grover Cox and daughter Nancy were among those present at the ordination of Fr. Francis Branigan in Saginaw, October 26.

Weekend guests of W. O. Hildebrand at the Hildebrand cottage at Lake Margrethe last weekend were: Governor Harry Kelly, Comm. Oscar G. Olander of the State Police, Comm. David A. Forbes of the Insurance Dept., and Arlon Ley, Executive Secretary to the Governor, of Lansing, Mich.

Mrs. Holger Schmidt enjoyed a pleasant ten-day vacation trip—a day in Detroit and a couple of days with her niece, Mrs. William Thompson, in LaFayette, Ind., then several days with her son, Harold and wife in Milwaukee, Wis. On Saturday, Howard and DeVere joined her there, and the three returned by boat Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitey Madsen of Gaylord spent several days in Grayling last week visiting relatives.

Mrs. Robert LaChappelle joined her husband on Saturday to spend the weekend in Grayling. She plans to give up her work in Cheboygan soon and with Mr. LaChappelle make her home in Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson and Mrs. Oscar Hanson were hosts to the Big Bridge Club at the summer home of the former last Wednesday evening. Emil Giegling took top honors for the men and Dr. C. G. Clippert held second high; Mrs. Robert Hayes held high score for the women and Mrs. O. P. Schumann, second high. William Raac was a guest of the club.

Henry Jordan spent Monday in Maple Forest visiting his daughter and family, the Chester Lozons.

Donny Stephan entertained 18 little friends at a birthday dinner last Monday in honor of his 10th birthday. After

dinner, games were played, with prizes awarded to Juanita Morency, DeVere Wolcott, Anna Schreiber, Donny Stephan, Bobby LaMotte and Audrey Wolcott.

Stanley Hummel has completed a quonset type machine shed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson and family of Detroit spent a few days with the Stanley Hummels last week. They put out 1600 pine seedlings on their 80 acres of land, which is east of the Hummel farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stillwagon and family spent Sunday with relatives in Lovell.

October left with a gay farewell at the Halloween party given by Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson at their home Thursday evening. Characters of all kinds entered the darkened house, casting their shadows in the dim blue light. They formed a circle on the floor, surrounded by sheet-covered furniture peering over their shoulders. A midnight buffet lunch was devoured, the best dish being hot home-baked beans in a big brown crock, delicious donuts with cider and coffee, all helped to satisfy appetites.

Jack Church, Gerald Burns, Pat Castle and Ernestine Stephan attended the Central Michigan College of Education homecoming at Mt. Pleasant last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Trombley and son, Lowell of Saginaw, spent the weekend as the guest of the Arthur Clough family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Wood and daughter, Kathleen and Miss Jean Sutherland spent the weekend with Mrs. Ellen Failing at Beaver Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Allen of Traverse City spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Smith.

Mrs. LeRoy Christian and baby have joined Mr. Christian here. They occupy one of the Haydett apartments.

Mrs. Christine Feldhauser and Mrs. Emma Howse left Monday for Mt. Pleasant to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson and family.

Mrs. Frank Bond left Sunday for Olivet to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor. Mrs. Taylor is seriously ill.

Mrs. Richard Snyder and daughter, Peggy, visited her mother, Mrs. Oscar Hanson, and sister, Mrs. Ella Wilcox over the weekend. Mr. Snyder was hunting in the vicinity of St. Helen.

69 years ago November 8, 1923

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jerome sailed November 3rd from France on the Aquitania after spending a month in Europe.

Alonzo Collens and family are settled in the McCullough house on Cedar Street vacated by Angus McPhee.

Winners of prizes at the "Top O' Michigan" potato show that is now going on at Gaylord were announced

this morning and both Mr. and Mrs. William Feldhauser of Maple Forest were mentioned. Mrs. Feldhauser won second prize on an exhibit of Red potatoes; Mr. Feldhauser won a massive silver cup on an exhibit of Rural Russet set potatoes.

Clare Cameron, who is teaching school near East Jordan spent the weekend visiting his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Cameron and family.

Miss Margrethe Bauman will leave the latter part of the week for Detroit to be in attendance at the Military ball given by the Army and Navy.

Word from Compton, Calif., announces the birth of an eleven pound son to Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hodge. Mrs. Hodge will be remembered as Miss Anna Fisher.

Lionel LaGrow, who is employed in Lansing, is visiting here.

Miss Kathryn Brown has been assisting at the Carl W. Peterson jewelry store during the sale.

Mr. and Mrs. William McNeal left Saturday for Bay City, expecting to take up their residence somewhere in the southern part of the state.

Miss Helen Lietz entertained a few of her girl friends last week at her home in honor of her eleventh birthday anniversary.

A. C. Wilcox left Monday for Grand Rapids to spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Peter E. Johnson.

Karl Sherman, eleven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Sherman, was accidentally shot in the right shoulder last Thursday afternoon. He is improving rapidly.

Mrs. Cleson Peck and children, Earl, Raymond and Dorothy, arrived the later part of the week from Big Rapids, joining Mr. Peck, who has been employed as foreman for the T. W. Hanson lumber company since last spring. The family expect to make their home here and have rented the home of Mrs. Josephine Conklin temporarily.

Miss Mary Wilbur, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilbur and Leo Jorgenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter F. Jorgenson, were united in holy wedlock Saturday evening at the parsonage of the Michelson Memorial Church. Rev. J. Herman Baughn, pastor, officiated and the young couple were attended by the brides sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Wendt, of Detroit. The newlyweds getting settled in the Schreck house on Maple Street, where they will be at home to their friends.

Nick Schjotz has bought the property of James Hanson on Peninsular Avenue. The house which was damaged by fire recently is being repaired and rebuilt.

Tony Nelson has shown his enterprise by buying the fined Burton farm located in Beaver Creek Township. The Burton farm is one of the best in Crawford County.

Miss Bernice Howse and Ernest Winston were united in marriage last Saturday evening at the Michelson

Weekend Crossword

ACROSS

- Playwright Hart
- Simpleton
- Peacock
- Encourage
- Allow
- Grasped
- Eyedrop
- Age
- Cookie
- American admiral
- "Without My Daughter"
- Mr. Carson
- Banner
- ND neighbor
- Torrid
- Tantrums
- Form
- "to a Grecian Urn"
- Morning
- Anthony or Barbara
- Worldwide Worker's group
- Completely
- English admiral
- The bard's river
- Insect egg
- Dot
- Army hall
- Eel (Old Eng.)
- Originate (abbr.)
- High school grads
- Selective Service System (abbr.)
- Cape

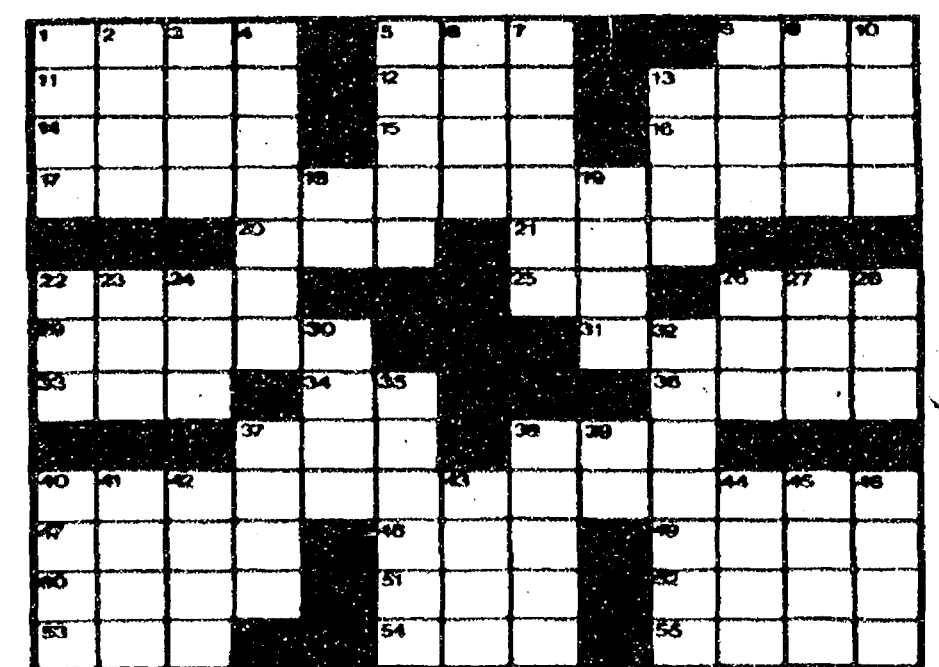
WEEKEND CROSSWORD

THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE ANSWER

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DOWN

- School subj.
- Comply
- Juncture
- Out of the ordinary
- Vigilant
- California Indian
- Piles
- Mr. Griffin
- To the leeward side
- Aroma
- "Man's Land"
- Goats
- Back
- Boy
- consent
- Owled
- Open (Poet.)
- Downing Street
- Sodium
- Mischievous person
- Des., IA
- Fleming and Hunter
- Stakes
- Pepe Moko
- Smithfields, E.g.
- Finished
- John Ewing
- Castor and olive
- Tender
- Mayberry town drunk
- Henpecks



Memorial Church parsonage by Rev. J. H. Baughn. The bride is the daughter of Conrad Howse of Maple Forest.

The office of the State forester that has been located in Grayling for several years past has been ordered to move to Lansing and Chief Forester Marcus Schaff is busy getting his affairs packed up for shipping. It is with extreme regret to the people of Grayling that this change is required, and Mr. and Mrs. Schaff are disappointed too and sorry to have to give up their beautiful home which was formerly the residence of the Nels Michelson family.

ATTENTION MAPLE FOREST TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

There will be a "TOWN MEETING" on Tuesday, November 10, 1992, at 7:30 pm at the Township Hall to discuss the issue of the GYPSY MOTH SPRAYING PROGRAM in Maple Forest Township and any other business that may arise. Interested parties are encouraged to attend.

Susan Keene
Clerk

The Bible Speaks

From The
Calvary Baptist Church

Is Hell My Choice?

Hell was created for the devil and his angels and only those humans who chose Hell will go there. (MAT 25:41). As Jesus wept over Jerusalem He said, "O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, [thou] that killest the prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto thee, how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under [her] wings, and ye would not!" (MAT 23:37). Christians will believe God's promises on this subject: "The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance." (2 PE 3:9).

Life is made up of choices. Children who choose to disobey their parents have chosen punishment. Children who choose not to learn have chosen ignorance. People who choose fornication have chosen potential pregnancy, disease and/or death. People who choose to commit adultery have chosen a divorce from their mate. Those who choose to kill have chosen

prison. Those who choose to live above their means have chosen bankruptcy. Those who choose not to work have chosen poverty. Those who choose to hate others have chosen no friends. Those who choose a self-centered life have chosen depression. Therefore, it is a normal consequence that those who choose to live and die without Jesus Christ have chosen eternal wrath in Hell. (John 3:36).

Those who have chosen to spend eternity in Hell are named by their choices: "But the fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and idolaters, and all liars, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death." (REV 21:8). (See also Gal. 5:19-21). As Jesus Christ said: "Ye shall know them by their fruits. Do men gather grapes of thorns, or figs of thistles? ... Every tree that bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire. Wherefore by their fruits ye shall know them." (MAT 7:16, 19, 20).

People who have chosen Hell in this

life, have no desire to be happy in Heaven. If you have no desire to worship God in Church like He commanded, Heb. 10:25, why would you want to worship Him in Heaven? If you don't read His word in the Bible now, why would you want to listen to Him speak in Heaven? If you don't pray now, why would you want to talk to Him in Heaven? If you do not strive to love God with all your heart, soul, mind, and strength now, why would you want to serve Him forever? Your daily choices merely confirm your eternal choices. One who thinks he can live for self and Satan now, and then spend eternity with God in Heaven is deceived.

Pastor "B"

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Local scouts to collect food

The United States of America often is proudly called the "Land of the Plenty." Sadly, that phrase can also be applied to a shameful situation-plenty of hungry people. More than 20 million Americans, including as many as 11.5 million children go hungry at some time each month.

But this month, something is being done to change that. For the fifth consecutive year, the Boy Scouts of America will be conducting its highly successful Scouting For Food. The 1988 through 1991 Scouting For Food Good Turns together brought in 267 million cans of food. More than 5,000 items have been collected in Crawford County over this time period.

The Good Turn started here last Saturday, October 31, when scouts put out over 1,000 bags on the doors of area houses. This Saturday, November 7, the scouts will go around beginning at 9 a.m. to pick up the bags with donated food items in them. If you were missed with a bag and would like to donate, stop by Goodale's Bakery to pick up a bag or if you live outside the immediate area you can drop off donations at Goodale's or at the Crawford County Christian Help

Center on Saturday morning from 10:30-12. All donations received by the local Boy Scouts will stay in

Crawford County. If you have any questions you may call Loren Goodale at 348-9414.

Senior Citizen News

By Jan Farley

Congregate meals are served at 12 noon and five o'clock, Monday through Thursday and at noon on Fridays. Menus are subject to change and are listed as **Lunch/Dinner**:

Wednesday-4-Beef Tips & Noodles/ Parmesan Chicken;

Thursday-5-NO NOON MEAL/ HARVEST DINNER AND DANCE AT THE K OF C HALL AT 5 P.M.;

Friday-6-Ham;

Monday-9-Spaghetti and Meatballs/ Roast Beef;

Tuesday-10- Stuffed Turkey/Oven Fried Chicken;

Wednesday-11-Chicken & Biscuits/ BBQ Pork;

Thursday-12-Hot Beef Sand./ Meatloaf;

Friday-13-Pot Roast.

Special Dates:

Nov. 4-5:30, Judge John Hunter will speak on Durable Power of

Attorney and Living Wills. Promises to be very interesting and informative.

Nov. 5-Harvest dinner and dance at the K of C hall, 5 p.m.

Nov. 10-5:30, Lorna LaMotte will bring her expertise on Potoskey stones to the Center and let us see some of the fine craftsmanship that she and her husband, Curley, have done.

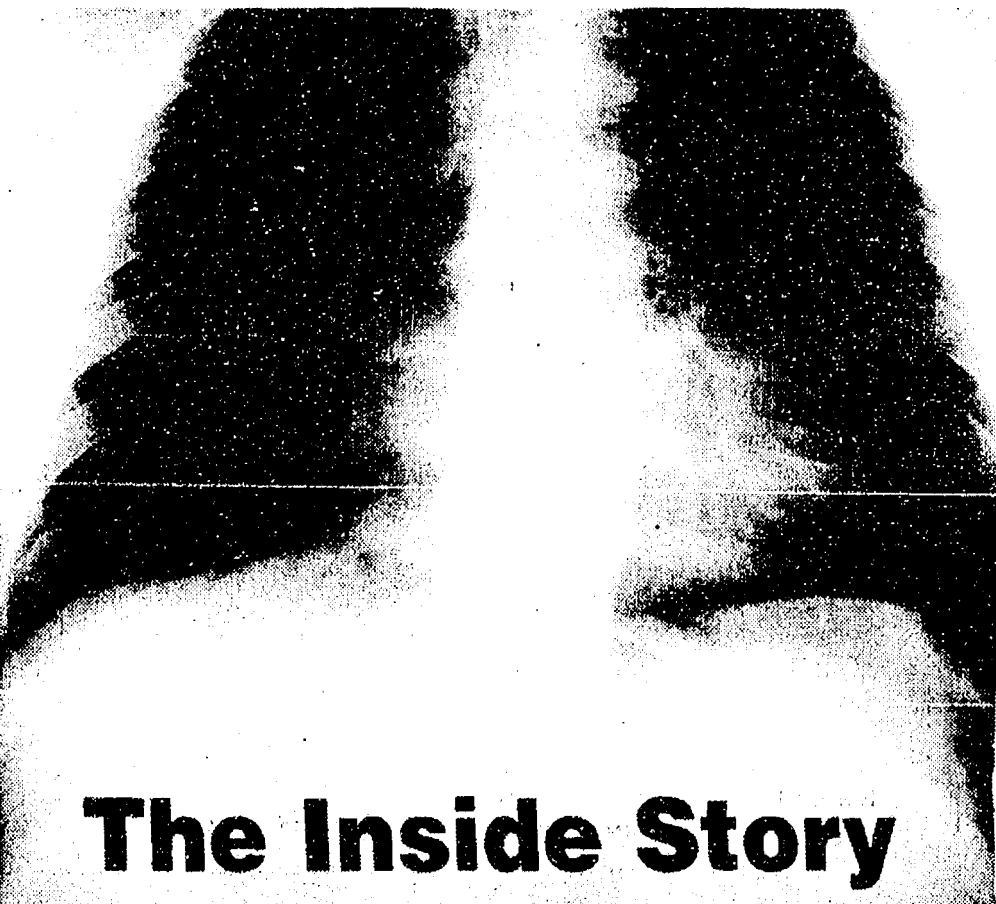
Bible Study classes every Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. with different ministers each week.

South Branch Satellite on Friday, November 13!

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Matthew 6:1-15	James 5:1-20	2 Samuel 7:1-29	2 Kings 19:14-37	Acts 12:6-19	1 Kings 6:22-53	Acts 4:23-37

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The Frederic Hobby Club met Monday, October 26, with 14 members present for a work night getting Halloween treats ready for the Frederic Elementary School children.

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Legal Action

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made June 30, 1988, by Thomas D. King and Hannah S. Dean, as mortgagor(s), to the United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on July 1, 1988, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber 280 of mortgages on pages 477-480;

On which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice Fifty Thousand Seventy-two and 24/100 Dollars (\$50,072.24) principal and

Twelve Thousand Six Hundred Sixty-seven and 84/100 Dollars (\$12,667.84) interest;

no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part of the debt secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby Given that on December 3, 1992, at 10:00

o'clock in the forenoon at the Front steps (east side) of Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to wit:

Lot #11, Karen Woods, as recorded in the Plat thereof, Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

The redemption period will be six months from the foreclosure sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale plus interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale.

For additional information, contact UNITED STATES OF AMERICA acting through Farmers Home Administration, 377 S. Mt. Tom Rd., Mio, MI, 48647, mortgagee.

Dated: October 14, 1992

-15-22-29-5

NOTICE

Applications are now being accepted by the Grayling Township Board from persons interested in serving a 5 year term as a member of the Grayling Township Compensation Commission. For information concerning the duties and meeting schedule of this board, write to Grayling Township, P.O. Box 521, Grayling, MI 49738 or telephone 517/348-4361.

Monica S. Ashton
Grayling Township Clerk

-5-12-19

GRAYLING TOWNSHIP NOTICE

Please be notified the Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on November 16, 1992, at 7:00 pm, in the Township Office, 2090 Viking Way (M-72 West), to hear the following cases.

Case #92-28: Robert and Nancy McLachlan, petitioners. T26N, R4W, Sec. 22 (North east side of Grayling Avenue). R-2 Zone.

A request to allow construction of one and two bedroom apartments ranging in size from 524 sq. ft. (variance of 400 sq. ft.) to 685 sq. ft. (variance of 239 sq. ft.).

Tentative text and zoning maps may be examined at the Township Office during regular business hours.

Correspondence concerning the cases should be directed to: Grayling Township, P.O. Box 521, Grayling, MI 49738. (517) 348-4361.

Monica S. Ashton, C.M.C.
Grayling Township Clerk

REPORT OF CONDITION, CONSOLIDATING DOMESTIC SUBSIDIARIES, OF THE

EMPIRE NATIONAL BANK

OF TRAVERSE CITY

In the State of Michigan, at the close of business on September 30, 1992, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161. Charter No. 14934. Comptroller of the Currency Central District.

STATEMENT OF RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES

ASSETS		Thousands of dollars
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:		
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	\$	9,515
Securities		67,707
Federal funds sold		8,700
Loans and leases, net of unearned income	\$195,024	
Less: allowance for loan losses	2,450	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income and allowance	192,574	
Premises and fixed assets	4,435	
Other real estate owned	1,326	
Intangible assets	566	
Other assets	4,598	
TOTAL ASSETS		\$289,421
LIABILITIES		
Deposits:		
In domestic offices (including State of Michigan deposits of \$86)	\$265,356	
Noninterest-bearing	\$	37,350
Interest-bearing	228,006	
Other liabilities	2,588	
Total liabilities	267,944	
EQUITY CAPITAL		
Common stock	3,651	
Surplus	4,012	
Undivided profits and capital reserves	13,814	
Total equity capital	21,477	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL		\$289,421

I, William T. Fitzgerald, Jr., Chief Financial Officer of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

William T. Fitzgerald, Jr.
October 22, 1992

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

Directors:
Thomas G. McIntyre
Laurence P. Skendzel, M.D.
James E. Dutmers, Jr.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN 83RD JUDICIAL DISTRICT SUMMONS LANDLORD/TENANT-LAND CONTRACT CASE NO. 92-292-LT

County Building, Grayling, MI, 49738
517-348-2841, ext 242.

John & Julia Mertes
PO Box 19
Frederic, Michigan 49733

Plaintiff

Lewis B Staebel
PO Box 13
Frederic, Michigan 49733

Defendant(s)

IN THE NAME OF THE PEOPLE OF THE
STATE OF MICHIGAN, TO THE
DEFENDANT(S):

You are summoned to be in District Court, courtroom number on 11-17-92, at 1:00 at the above address.

The Plaintiff has filed a complaint against you and wants to forfeit your land contract; Lot #24, May AuSable Estates, Frederic Twp., Crawford County.

If you are in District Court on time, you will have an opportunity to give the reasons why you feel you should not be evicted. Bring witnesses, receipts and other necessary papers with you. You may demand a trial by a judge or a jury.

You will lose your right to a jury trial unless it is demanded at your first response, written or oral. The jury fee must be paid when demand is made.

If you are not in District Court on time you may be evicted without trial and a money judgment may be entered against you.

9-30-92
Dalene Corlew
Deputy Court Clerk

-22-29-5

Record of City Council Proceedings Meeting held on the 12th day of October 1992 Grayling, Michigan

Meeting called to order by Mayor Golnick at 7:30 p.m. Members present: Stevens, Schreiner, Golnick, Ruddy, Akers. Members absent: none. Also in attendance: Jerry W. Morford, City Manager, Kay Ellen King, Judy Morford, Roy Knight Jr., Arnold Stancil, Peter Stephan, Gloria Stephan, David McManus, Lois Palmer, Sara Palmer, Laura Renor.

Moved by Stevens, supported by Akers that the minutes of the meeting of September 28, 1992, be approved as presented. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Citizens who wish to speak. None.
Communications were received and noted.
County Animal Shelter Report.
Dept. of Social Services re: Volunteer

Labor.
From Judith Sorenson re: Purchase of city property.

Moved by Stevens, supported by Ruddy to table this until they can go into Executive Session to discuss this matter. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

August and September Fire Reports.

Old Business.

C-Teo Cable Co., re: New Rates. David McManus was present to answer questions that Council asked regarding rate increases and franchise fees. Questions were also asked from the audience which were answered by Mr. McManus. After much discussion, Council thanked Mr. McManus for attending this meeting to discuss this issue.

Consider Mikado Street Project. Mr. Golnick recommended black topping until it is decided what to do. The City Manager will check into this and report back to Council.

New Business.

Moved by Stevens, supported by Schreiner to go into Executive Session to discuss the sale and/or purchase of property prior to option on same being secured. Roll call vote: Ayes: Stevens, Schreiner, Golnick, Akers, Ruddy, Nays: None, Absent: None. Motion carried. Council entered Executive Session at 8:10 p.m. at 8:35 p.m. Council returned from Executive Session to the Regular Meeting.

Moved by Schreiner, supported by Ruddy that Mr. Morford write to Miss Sorenson and advise of decisions of Council regarding sale of property as discussed in Executive Session.

Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Reports of City Manager. Mr. Morford reported on the following.

Pager for week-end call.

1-75 BL Street Lights.

Norway St. Christmas Decorations.

New Christmas Tree at City Hall.

Moved by Golnick, supported by Schreiner to write a letter of thanks to the local donor (Aqua Plaza) of the tree and tree movers (Larry Tuck) for the new Christmas Tree at City Hall. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Letter from Historical Museum and Newsletter.

New Councilman Handbook.

City Police Department will be attending meetings to improve Driving Skills at the Holiday Inn through Kirtland College October 21, 22, & 23, 1992.

Mr. Morford will be attending the meeting in Lansing on October 13, 1992, re: Permit Fees and DNR.

Information on fire inspection done in the City.

Recently added new employees to the City of Grayling: Wayne Winchester in the DPW, Kirk Wakefield as City Patrolman and Steve Doyle was offered position in the City Police Dept. working with the Fire Department, Police Department and Cemetery Department.

Sewer Lagoon Progress.

M.M.I. Insurance Program attended on October 9, 1992, by Mayor Golnick and City Manager Morford at the Holiday Inn.

Reports of Council Members.

Moved by Stevens, supported by Golnick for the City Manager to write a letter to the Grayling Promotional Association regarding the Halloween decorations and thanking them for their outstanding work on seasonal decorations, etc. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried.

Adjournment.

Moved by Golnick, supported by Schreiner that the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 5, Nays: 0, Absent: 0, motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 8:50 p.m.

Jerry W. Morford
City Manager & City Clerk

ABWA plans Christmas luncheon and bazaar

The American Business Women's Association monthly meeting was held on Tuesday, October 20, at the Iron Gate Restaurant. Guest speaker for the evening was Sherry Garner, Child Advocate for River House. She explained to members the various

programs they are conducting for children. Although their primary thrust is helping the young victims of abuse, they also work with high school students on subjects such as Date Rape and with the young men at Camp Shawono. They are also beginning a cooperative program with the middle school students.

Vocational speaker was member Grace Wegner, who discussed her career as an attorney and stressed the ways that attitudes have changed toward women since she first began her practice.

Norma Naour explained plans for an upcoming ABWA Christmas Luncheon and Bazaar which will be held at the American Legion Hall on December 11.

The next meeting of ABWA will be held at the Iron Gate Restaurant on Tuesday, November 17.

Military News

Navy Seaman Recruit Joshua G. Lepsy, son of Richard L. and Winnie E. Lepsy of 6421 Old Lake Road, Grayling, recently completed basic training at Recruit Training Command, San Diego, CA.

During the cycle, recruits are taught general military subjects designed to prepare them for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 occupational fields.

Studies include seamanship, close-order drill, naval history, and first aid.

The 1992 graduate of Grayling High School joined the Navy in July 1992.

We think that you'll find almost anything through the classifieds. Whether it is employment, selling the junk in the basement, buying or just wishing someone happy birthday, the best possible choice for advertising is in the **Crawford County Avalanche Classifieds**. For more information call 348-6811.

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NOTICE

The minutes of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners 10-21-92 Meeting are available for inspection or purchase at the County Clerk's office. Copies can be obtained at the Crawford County Courthouse, 200 West Michigan Avenue, Grayling, Michigan.

Elizabeth H. Wieland
County Clerk

TIMBER FOR SALE, HURON-MANISTEE NATIONAL FORESTS. UNICORN TIMBER SALE is located within section 34, and T25N, R2E, Michigan Meridian, Oscoda County, Michigan. Sealed bids will be received at the Mio District Ranger's Office, Mio, Michigan up to 11:00 am local time on December 2, 1992, for an estimated 831 Mbf. The advertised sale value is \$22,950.22.

The required bid guarantee is \$1,200.00 and must accompany the sealed bid. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. A prospectus and other information concerning this sale may be obtained from the District Ranger at Mio, Michigan or the Forest Supervisor's Office at 421 S. Mitchell Street, Cadillac, Michigan.

LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF
CRAWFORD AU SABLE SCHOOL DISTRICT
CRAWFORD, OTSEGO AND KALKASKA COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please take Notice that the Board of Education of Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, has called a special election to be held in the school district on

Tuesday, December 15, 1992.

TAKE NOTICE that the following proposition(s) will be submitted at the special election:

I. BONDING PROPOSITION

Shall Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Eight Million Seven Hundred Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$8,730,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of:

- erecting, furnishing and equipping a new lower elementary school facility as an addition to the Grayling Elementary School;
- erecting, furnishing and equipping an addition or additions to and partially remodeling, in part for energy conservation purposes, and partially re-equipping the existing elementary school facilities;
- acquiring additional land for site purposes; constructing, equipping and/or improving playgrounds, outdoor physical education and athletic facilities; and developing and improving sites; and
- purchasing and installing technology equipment and systems for existing and proposed school facilities?

II. MILLAGE PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan, be increased by 1.60 mills (\$1.60 on each \$1,000.00) on state equalized valuation for a period of 3 years, 1994, 1995, and 1996, to provide additional funds for operating purposes?

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1992, IS

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1992.

PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING ON MONDAY NOVEMBER 16, 1992, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL BOND ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan.

Carol E. Ramaswamy
Secretary, Board of Education

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Crawford County Avalanche

The Classifieds

CLASSIFIEDS MUST BE PAID FOR IN ADVANCE
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Deadline For Classifieds By The Word Is 12 Noon, Tuesday.

REAL ESTATE 1

HOUSE FOR SALE Three bedroom, 1 1/4 bath, full basement, attached two car garage on two lots in a good neighborhood close to town. Price, \$53,000. As little as 5% down to qualified buyers. 348-2993. -29-5/1

AUSABLE NORTH BRANCH Prime building site. Over 300' water frontage, well wooded, almost three acres. Located near Mainstream AuSable. Very quiet. Very private. Land contract terms. Call Hal, owner, (517) 348-5965. 10/29/92tf/1

SHERWOOD FOREST SUBDIVISION Three bedroom home, 1 1/2 baths, laundry room, kitchen with built-in stove, living room, and two car garage attached. Located on Nottingham Drive and Ole Dam Road. Call for appointment, 348-8092. -29-5-12-19/1

TWO BEDROOM CHALET Warblers Hideaway community, has trout streams, swimming pool and almost 400 acres of woods. Needs some woodwork repair. Very low price, \$18,500. \$6,000 down, \$175 per month. Hal Southard, agent, 348-5965. 10/1/92tf/1

REAL ESTATE 1

SOUTH BRANCH AUSABLE HOME-ACREAGE Very well located, 17.6 acres with approximately 700 ft. of river frontage on the South Branch of the AuSable River. Ranch house, original wide-board paneling, new kitchen features and many additional improvements including riverfront dock areas. Artisan water. Large pole barn. New septic system. Considerable privacy. Adjacent national forest. Must be cash sale. Hal Southard, agent, (517) 348-5965. 6/4/92tf/1

NEW HOME: Three bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath, two car garage, on three acres on Stephan Road, two miles from Roscommon. By builder, \$65,000. Finish yourself or pick your cabinets, carpet and colors. First time offered. (517) 275-5643. 7/30/92tf/1

CASH! CASH! CASH! Cash for land contracts. Call Jim Vanderlaan, (616) 839-2548. 1/10/91tf/1

WANTED: AUSABLE RIVER PROPERTY Mainstream. North Branch. South Branch. Homes-cabins-acreage. If you know someone who wants to sell-buy-please call Hal Southard, agent, 348-5965. 10/1/92tf/1

REAL ESTATE 1

LOVELLS AREA Two bedroom home on ten acres with paved road. Full basement stays dry and is 11 blocks high. Automatic gas heat plus wood stove. Two car garage, satellite, storage shed, garden plot. Near excellent hunting and fishing. \$42,500. Hal Southard, agent, (517) 348-5965. 9/3/92tf/1

COMMERCIAL BUILDING Remodeled. 205 Ingham near Ray's Canoes. Hal Southard, owner, broker, 348-5965. 10/1/92tf/1

INVESTING IN LAND CONTRACTS Cash-no cost-local service. 1-800-626-5962. LR11/19/92/1

AUSABLE SOUTH BRANCH HOME Brand new two bedroom with 100 foot secluded river frontage. Excellent view of river just 50 feet from the sun deck. Automatic heat plus wood stove. Close to Roscommon shopping. Price negotiable. Land contract terms available. Low price \$52,000. Call Hal Southard, agent (517) 348-5965 anytime. 10/1/92tf/1

COMMERCIAL CORNER PROPERTY-AUSABLE VIEW 120 ft. frontage 1-75 BL at Ingham Ave. Overlooks AuSable River. Two vacant lots on 1-75. Hal Southard, owner, (517) 348-5965. 10/1/92tf/1

USE AVALANCHE WANT ADS

FIVE ACRES ON HORSHOE TRAIL Nice land, \$4,500, possible terms. Call Hamrick Real Estate Co., 348-5433 or 348-8336. 8/20/92tf/1

WANTED: FMHA APPLICANTS If you are interested in purchasing a home through Farm Home Administration, I am the real estate agent for you. Stop in or call me at my office. Charlene Fry, 348-9261, residence. Century 21 River Country Real Estate, Inc. 10/8/92tf/1

FOR SALE BY OWNER Two blocks from Lake Margrethe. Three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, 2 1/2 car garage, large family room. (906) 586-6055 or (517) 790-2281. 7/9/92tf/1

AUSABLE NORTH BRANCH Prime building site. Over 300' water frontage, well wooded, almost three acres. Electricity. Located near Mainstream AuSable. Very quiet. Very private. Land contract terms. Call Hal, owner, (517) 348-5965. 11/5/92tf/1

OWNERS SAID SELL NOW! Price reduced to \$67,500-\$62,500 on this lovely three bedroom ranch. 1,400 sq. ft. on ten acres with two full baths, fireplace, garage and more. Two years old. Call Hamrick Real Estate Co., 348-5433 or 348-8336. 11/5/92tf/1

REAL ESTATE 1

LOVELLS AUSABLE RIVER-FRONT Two bedroom home on paved road and North Branch AuSable River, plus sleeping loft for two. Excellent wading water for Trout fishing. Adjacent approximately 75 acres of vacant land, both sides of river. Recent partial modernization inside and out, large garage. Includes kitchen appliances and new kitchen cabinets. Within walking distance of restaurant and grocery store. Very low price due to sale of estate, \$33,000. Hal Southard, agent, 348-5965. 4/9/92tf/1

SOUTH BRANCH AUSABLE HOME-ACREAGE Charming two bedroom, A-frame hideaway. Attractive interior. Ideally located among virgin pines. Sun porch and deck at river-edge. Approximately 400 ft. river frontage near main stream AuSable. Pleasant well and electricity, excellent location. Adjacent thousand acres national forest. Excellent hunting and fishing. Garage with workshop. Negotiable land contract terms. Hal Southard, (517) 348-5965. 4/16/92tf/1

HOUSE FOR SALE 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, appliances included. On 2 1/2 acres with large shed, Grayling area. Call after 6:30 p.m. for appointment. \$42,000. 348-6901. -22-29-5-12/1

Avalanche

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One erratic driver and one newlywed couple, and all were returned safely to CLE. There were casualties, but soon both vehicles will be back on the road (but stay off the trails.) -59

AUSABLE-STEPHAN AREA Original wide-board, pine-paneled walls and ceiling. Half-log, two bedroom, insulated cabin home. Indoor plumbing with new water well. Located on 5 1/2 acres less than a mile from the city water. \$26,000 on Land contract. Very low cash price, \$19,000. Call Hal Southard, agent, (517) 348-5965 anytime. 7/2/92tf/1

LOG CABIN near North Branch AuSable River and state forest. One mile from country store. Location on paved road allows easy access summer and winter. Full log building with great interior. L.P. gas heat. Party furnished. Land contract terms available. Hal Southard agent, 348-5965. 7/16/92tf/1

REAL ESTATE 1

MCMASTERS BRIDGE AREA Brack Hill Drive, on county road. Electricity available. Walking distance to AuSable River. Two ten acre parcels, two five acre parcels. 348-9077. -5-12/1

BY OWNER Three bedroom, tri-level home; sauna, 1 1/2 bath, natural gas. Two car garage, storage building. Located on three landscaped, fenced lots with sprinkling system. Outside city limits, yet walking distance from downtown Grayling. Call 348-9146. -5-12/1

TEN PLUS ACRES ROLLING HARDWOODS L.C. terms, five thousand dollars. Ask for Mark, Art Clough Real Estate, 348-8170 or 348-4741. -5/1

TWO LOTS Total of 6.92 acres facing Old 76 near N. Higgins Lake. \$7,500 cash. Call after 5 p.m. (813) 353-2678. 12/10/92tf/1

FOR RENT 2

TWO BEDROOM, SECOND FLOOR nice, well maintained, security light, washer and dryer available at 402 Peninsular. \$365 plus utilities, no pets, senior citizen discount, references. 348-6761. = 10/29/92tf/2

FOR RENT: Small 2 bedroom home near city. Ideal for couple. No pets. \$300.00 per month, plus utilities. Security deposit. Available early December. Call after 1:30 p.m. (517) 673-6715. -22-29-5-12/2

MOBILE HOME FOR RENT Clean adults only no pets. Inquire at Timberly Village Mobile Home Park office. 10/29/92tf/2

FOR RENT: CARPETED ROOMS with cooking facilities, \$145/month. Spruce Motor Lodge, downtown Roscommon. LR12/31/92/2

2,000 SQ. FT. OF GARAGE or storage space near downtown. Call 348-6761. 11/14/92tf/2

HALL FOR RENT

Air Conditioned, Large Parking Lot CONTACT EAGLES CLUB 348-5287

HALL FOR RENT Between Grayling and Frederic, for your next shower, wedding or party. Reasonable rates, 50s style decor. Call 348-6115. -29-5-12-19/2

HALF HOUSE FOR RENT \$225, includes utilities, private bath, private living room. 348-4924. -29-5/2

NEWLY REMODELED, 2ND STORY, one bedroom apartment. No pets. Non smoking, employed adult. (517) 348-7868. 7/30/92tf/2

COMMERCIAL BUILDING Remodeled. 205 Ingham near Ray's Canoes. Hal Southard, owner, broker, 348-5965. 10/1/92tf/2

ONE BEDROOM APARTMENT Furnished, \$325 a month, \$100 deposit. Utilities included. Nine miles east of Grayling. Six month lease required. Phone 348-4077. 7/23/92tf/2

SPACE FOR LEASE at the Grayling Mini Mall. One front unit, 3,000 sq. ft., and two approximately 1,200 sq. ft. Call 348-5323 or write P.O. Box 897, Grayling. 10/24/91tf/2

FOR RENT: TWO BEDROOM APARTMENT Also efficiency apartment. 348-5012. LR9/3/93/2

FOR RENT Apartment on James St. 2nd story. Like new. Single, employed adult only. 348-7868. -10/22/92tf/2

FOR RENT 2

SKIERS, SNOWMOBILERS, FISHERMAN All new, very nice, two bedroom cottage for rent by the week. Totally furnished, cable T.V., microwave, gas grill. 300' from Lake Margrethe. 348-8627. -5/2

FOR RENT: MANISTEE RIVER-FRONT HOME Two bedrooms, partial basement, garage. \$450 monthly plus security deposit. Call Craig Hinkle, 348-6481 or 348-5192 after 6 p.m. -5/2

LARGE ONE BEDROOM APARTMENT Utilities furnished. \$335 a month plus security. 348-6185 before noon. -5-12/2

WARM AND COZY Small house-keeping cabin close to town. Snow plowing and utilities furnished. \$275 per month, plus \$275 security deposit. No children or pets. Call 348-5124 or 348-5621. -5/2

FOR RENT: BEAR LAKE One bedroom cabin, \$300 plus utilities. (517) 348-6310. -5-12/2

SMALL TWO BEDROOM COZY CABIN (C) near Lake Margrethe. Stove, refrigerator and utilities included. \$300 per month, \$300 notice deposit. Well lighted, no pets. Single person or couple. Phone 348-5998. -5/2

EFFICIENCY APARTMENT FOR RENT Two rooms, \$290 per month, utilities included, \$290 notice deposit. No pets. 348-7502. Available November 15th. -5/2

THREE BEDROOM, TWO BATH Fully carpeted, 2 1/2 car garage, executive type in Grayling. \$550 per month plus deposit. References required. Phone (517) 732-7204. -5-12-19/2

TWO BEDROOMS, NEWLY DECORATED \$325/month. Security deposit required. Between Roscommon and Grayling. Employed and references. (517) 821-5900. 10/29/92tf/2

COZY TWO BEDROOM HOUSE Super clean, three miles from Roscommon. Refrigerator, stove, drapes. \$325/month, \$325 security deposit. No pets. 348-8386. -5/2

FOR RENT: DUPLEX AVAILABLE in Viking Village. Includes lawn maintenance, snow plowing, all appliances, two bedrooms, two full baths, garage with door opener. \$575 per month plus utilities. Call (616) 946-8772, ask for Karen. 10/8/92tf/2

TWO BEDROOM CABIN One block from Lake Margrethe. \$325 a month, \$325 security deposit. Not been rented. 348-2226. -5-12/2

EMPLOYMENT 3

BOARD MEMBER NEEDED at Commission on Aging to fill unexpired term. Send letter to: 308 Lawndale, Grayling, MI 49738, by November 6. -29-5/3

PARK RANGERS Game wardens, security, maintenance, etc. No exp. necessary. For more info call (219) 769-6649 EXT 8994, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. -22-29-5-12/3

REGISTERED NURSES O.B.-labor and delivery, nursery, postpartum. Twelve hour shifts. Full-time. Apply in writing to: Mrs. Janet Norton, Human Resources, Toller Memorial Hospital, 335 E. Houghton Avenue, Department 3, West Branch, Michigan 48861. -22-29-5/3

\$200-\$500 WEEKLY Assemble products at home. Easy! No selling. You're paid direct. Fully guaranteed. Free information-24 hour hotline, 801-379-2900. Copyright #M1258DH. LR11/15/92/3

CENTURY 21 — CENTURY 21 — CENTURY 21 — CENTURY 21 — CENTURY 21

#2482 SELLER FINANCING AVAILABLE to qualified buyer. This 4 bedroom, 2 bath home is in the City Limits and offers 2148 sq. ft. of living space. Family room, Formal dining, and large kitchen. 12 x 32 Garage. Seller has relocated and says Sell! Sell! Sell! Reduced to \$32,000.00.

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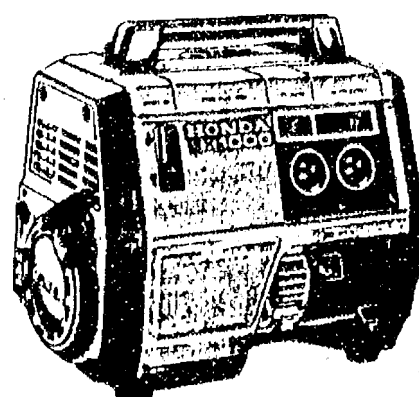
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Date	High	Low	Rain or snow	Snow on Ground
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10/29	59	24		
10/30	39	22		
10/31	42	22		
11/1	39	17		
11/2	38	24	0.77	
11/3	50	30	0.67	

Extended forecast courtesy of the U.S. Weather Service in Houghton
Lake: Wednesday calls for mixed rain and snow changing to all snow
in the afternoon. The high will be in the 40s and falling. Thursday and
Friday will be dry with the highs in the mid 30s and the lows in the 20s
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a high in the mid 30s and the low in the 20s.

Young drivers
tend to be
risk takers

Question: Teenage drivers are:

- Among Michigan's safest drivers.
- Not required to wear their safety belts.
- On probationary driving status for at least three years.
- Can drink a beer before driving as long as they are not legally drunk.

Receiving their first driver license signals adulthood. It promises freedom, as well as responsibility.

As important as laws are in promoting safe driving, the most critical factor in turning new drivers into good drivers is their parents, who should begin by being role models. As old-fashioned as that sounds, prom and graduation time present the opportunity for young adults to stretch their independence. Obeying speed limits and always driving courteously and carefully should, by this time, be ingrained habits of the responsible driver.

Michigan requires new drivers to be at least age 16, pass an approved driver education course, and have their parent or guardian's signature prior to taking the knowledge and skills tests at any Secretary of State branch office. It is the parent or guardian's responsibility to assure the teenager is ready to drive. Parents should observe their new driver's skills, especially during the time they have a Temporary Instruction (or learner's) Permit.

After a teen gets their license, parents should not hesitate to place restrictions on driving, especially during the first few months. Parents must take an active role with their teenage drivers.

All new Michigan drivers are probationary for a minimum of three years, and remain on probation until they have had at least ten months of accident and point-free driving. During this period, if there is evidence the individual is not driving responsibly, they may be called before a Michigan Department of State Driver Improvement Examiner, who will decide if additional license restrictions are required. One restriction might be: No driving between midnight and 5 a.m. without a licensed adult in the car.

A bad driving record will undoubtedly lead to higher family insurance rates, and can limit job opportunities. Often an employer will consider the driver record as evidence of maturity and dependability.

Tragically, traffic crash injury and death are the greatest threat to the lives of teenagers and young adults in Michigan and America. During the 1980s, 2453 Michigan teenagers (ages 15 to 19) were killed in crashes, more than the number who died from all diseases combined. Nationwide, on average every two to three weeks the equivalent of a senior class at a typical high school is wiped out on our streets and highways. The National Safety Council estimates that the financial toll is at least \$10 billion annually for medical and insurance costs, property damage and lost wages resulting from crashes involving teenage drivers.

Certainly, not all teenagers are bad drivers. Still, although teen drivers accounted for only 6.7 percent of Michigan's driving population in 1990, they represented 11 percent of drivers involved in fatal crashes and 11.2 percent of those in fatal crashes where alcohol was a contributing factor.

Why is this the case?

New, young drivers tend to be risk takers. One way to lower the risk is for parents and guardians to "practice" driving with them, even though they now have a license. Limit driving after dark, on busy highways or during rush hour. Make sure a teenager is comfortable with the vehicle and the route. Limit the number of friends, and for what reasons the friends are riding along.

Always wearing a safety belt, and never drinking and driving, are also important ways to reduce the risks.

Alcohol is a factor in almost half the motor vehicle fatalities in Michigan. Even one drink of alcohol can impair an individual's ability to drive safely.

Under age 21 drivers, especially males, seem to think their chances of being in a traffic crash are one in a million. In fact, a nationwide survey of nearly 47,000 high school students found that more than 40 percent who were licensed for at least two years had already had one or more crashes.

Answer: c. On probationary driving status for at least three years.

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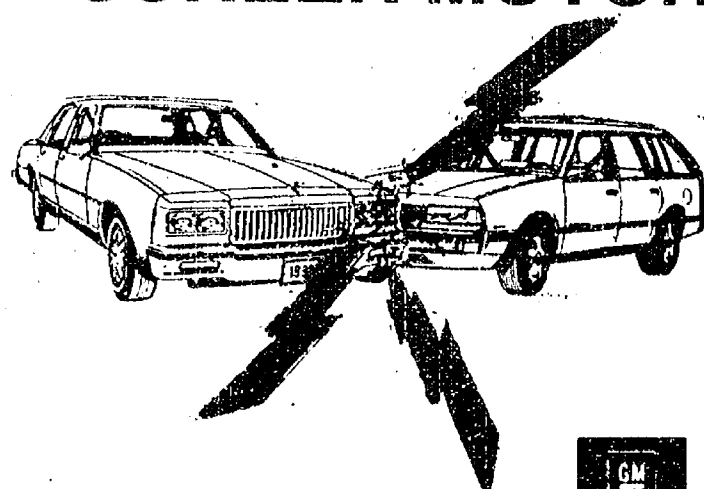
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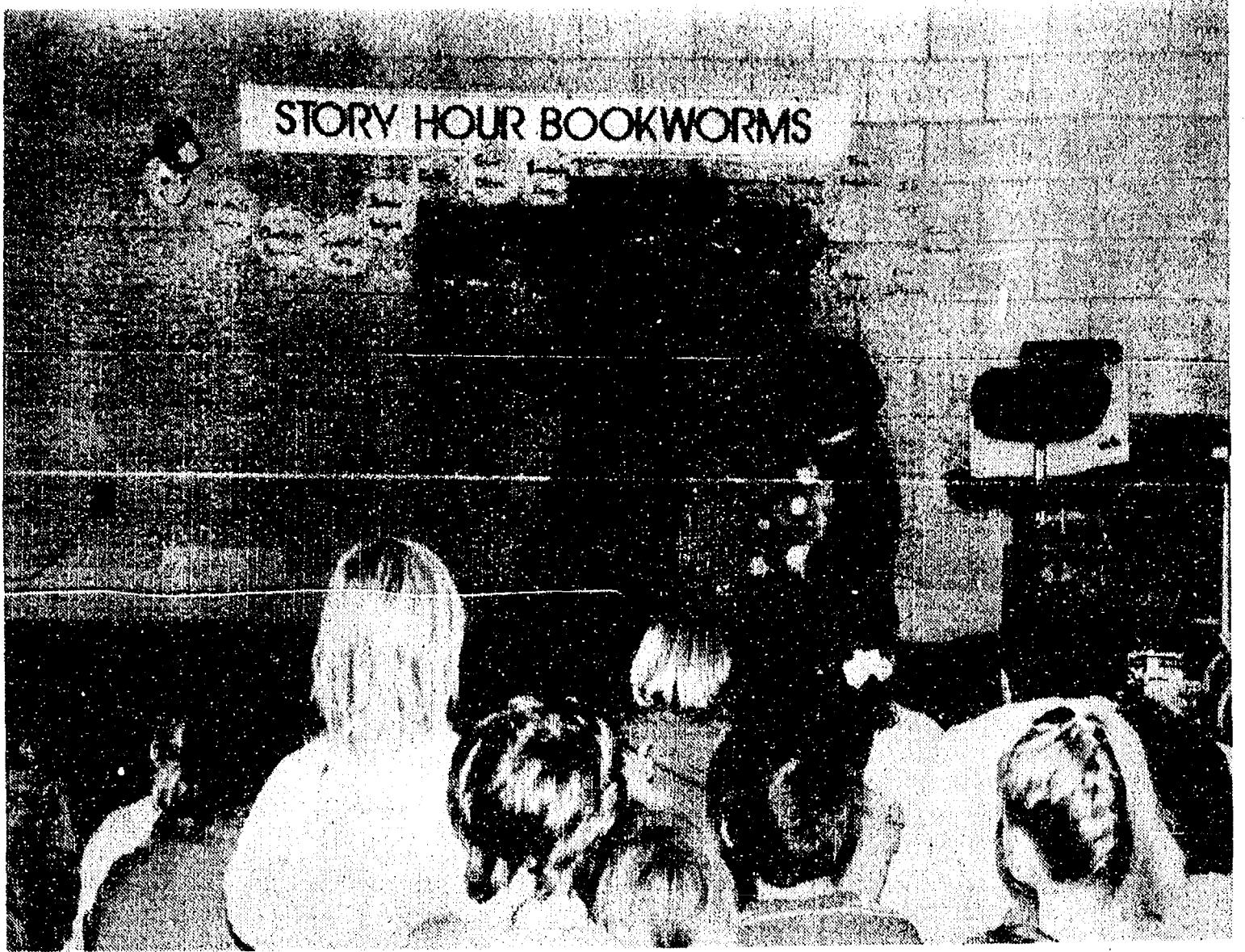
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Lovells group
to hear about
world trip

The guest speakers at the November 11th meeting of the Lovells Extension will be Rita and Charles Jackson, and they will talk about their around-the-world trip. The meeting will be held at the Lovells Township Hall at noon. A potluck luncheon will precede the program. The members will have a bottle auction after the meeting.

Five members attended the state convention at Boyne Mountain. Extension officers Kitty Pellegrini, Del Nowaczyk, Irene Honey and members Cora Davis and Mildred Johnson participated in the various workshops will share the information on the varied subjects, at a future meeting.

The first fundraiser for the scholarship fund will be a bake sale, Saturday, November 14, at the Lovells Township Hall 10 a.m. to noon.



ANIMAL PROGRAM--June Ginther and Kim Furstenau presented the animal program "Red Tongue" for children of all ages October 24. The Crawford County Library hosted the program. (Chuck Mitchell photo)

Senior forum
looks at kicking
smoking habit

Over 37 million Americans have quit smoking cigarettes for a very good reason. Evidence in recent years points to the fact that smoking, once considered merely a bad habit, is a major threat to the health of men, women, and children.

Explore options for quitting during a special Senior Care Forum on Tuesday, Nov. 10, at 10 a.m. in the Riverside Room at Mercy Hospital/Grayling. Guest speaker Michelle Weber will share helpful tips on how to kick the habit once and for all. There will be plenty of free informational material available and if you're thinking about quitting, you won't want to miss this presentation.

Pre-registration is helpful but not necessary. For more information call the Senior Care Network today at 1-800-362-3337.

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1993 County Fair
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The annual meeting of the Crawford County Fair Board was held at the Crawford County Courthouse Thursday, October 29, at 7 p.m. Next year's fair dates were established as July 21st-24th. The fair will run in conjunction with the AuSable River Festival and the AuSable Canoe Marathon. The Fair Board is already booking entertainment, exhibits, and items of interest.

Newly-elected officers for 1993 are: Alton T. Davis, president, Bonnie Davis, vice president, Marlene Ritter, secretary, and Don Prause, treasurer. Out-going president John Naour was thanked for excellent service during the past three years. Any persons or organizations interested in any facet of the fair's Board activities are encouraged to call Don Prause at 348-5550 or Judge Davis at 348-2841.

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